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The Daily Commercial.

THE Cleveland *Herald* of Friday morning indorses the COMMERCIAL as follows:

The Pittsburgh COMMERCIAL is making a good fight against corrupt political rings in that neighborhood. We hope it will keep at it. If the Republican party desires to retain possession of public confidence and the control of political offices, it must balk the schemes of men who use the Republican organization only to their personal aggrandizement.

State Senator.

The Legislative Convention that meets to-day, will have before it the name of Geo. H. Anderson, Esq., candidate for State Senate. As a private citizen he has not the advantage of the extensive acquaintance that old politicians and office seekers enjoy. We respectfully request attention to the following flattering notices of the Pittsburgh press, at the time Mr. Anderson was requested to allow his name to be presented for State Senate:

[From the Dispatch.]

It is with unfeigned pleasure we call attention to the correspondence between a number of our business men and Mr. George H. Anderson, whom they solicit to allow his name to be used as a candidate for the State Senate, to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Errett's resignation. We have known Mr. Anderson for the last twenty years, and it affords us sincere gratification to be able to bear testimony to his intelligence, correct principles and general high character as a man and a citizen. He is a gentleman of education and refinement, of large business experience, liberal and comprehensive views, and in every way qualified to fill the office for which he has consented to become a candidate, with credit to himself and advantage to his constituents.

[From the Commercial.]

In another column we publish a very respectable requisition made on George H. Anderson, Esq. by a large number of our representative citizens, asking him to become a candidate for State Senator, subject to the nomination of the Union Republican party. He accepts the compliment, and announces that his name may be used in the connection. Mr. Anderson has long been extensively engaged in the leather business in this city, is a gentleman of ample means, and possesses all the requirements for making an able, dignified and honest Senator should he be chosen to the position.

[From the Chronicle.]

We publish to-day a call numerously signed requesting George H. Anderson, Esq., of this city, to become a candidate for State Senator, subject to the nomination of the Republican party. Mr. Anderson consents to the use of his name in that connection, and his claims will be vigorously pushed by his friends. Mr. A. has long been engaged extensively in the leather business here, and possesses means sufficiently ample to place him above even the suspicion of being tempted by bribes. Moreover, he is essentially an honest, honorable gentleman, and should he be chosen to the position mentioned he will fill it with ability and dignity. Mr. A. is a son-in-law of Hon. George Darsie, for many years one of the leading public men of the county, and who ably represented this constituency for several terms at Harrisburg. Speaking from personal knowledge, we can safely predict an honorable career should Mr. A. be nominated at the coming convention.

STATE NEWS.

In Fayette county is an apple tree which was planted in 1772, four years before the revolution. It is said to be still in good condition. Forty bushels of apples is its average yield each season.

Some of the pushing farmers in Northampton township, Bucks county, who planted their corn soon after the middle of April, have it now nearly large enough to cultivate. The rows can now be seen quite plainly. One man has early Rose potatoes nearly far enough advanced to begin coming out in blossom. In the upper townships they are hardly done planting corn.

One day last week a German emigrant was robbed of four thousand francs at or near Huntingdon. He had left the railway train to get a glass of lager, and while in a saloon some one stole his belt from about his person.

The Bucks county *Intelligencer* says: "There is reason to fear that the dreaded cattle disease, or pleuro-neumonia, will be prevalent in some parts of Bucks county this season. A little more than a week ago, a cow belonging to Isaac V. Stockton, of Lower Makefield, was attacked, and became so bad that he expected to kill her on Monday. She came from one of the northern counties, and had never been to the drove yards."

Mrs. Almira Reniff, one of the oldest, if not the oldest resident of Western Crawford, died in Conneaut township, Crawford county, on Friday morning, May 21, in the one hundredth year of her age. Mrs. Reniff was born near Albany, N. Y., but removed when a girl to Sackett's Harbor, in the same State, where she resided until her removal to this section, forty-one years ago. Her husband, Charles Reniff, was a soldier in the war of 1812, and she drew a pension up to the time of her decease.

The Harrisburg *State Guard* says: "We understand the statue 'Victory,' intended to surmount the Mexican monument, arrived in this city several days since, though, for reasons best known to the commissioners, its arrival has been kept a profound secret. The history connected with the statue is one of mystery."

Antiquity of the Races.

A new book, entitled The Ruined Cities of Zulu Land, by Col. Malmsley England, discloses some wonderful things concerning the antiquity of the human race. Besides a lively and stirring record of adventures common to sportsmen in tropical countries, it affords us glimpses of vast masses of ruins,—terraces—obelisks with colossal carvings—halls, &c., of hewn stone, or cut out of the solid rock, regarded by the natives with mysterious awe, and secluded from strangers under the apprehension that no rain will fall for three years if these sacred precincts are intruded on. It is said, indeed, that these mighty works are sufficient to prove the existence of an ancient civilization in the heart of Africa, unknown and unrecorded alike in its existence and its disappearance. The analogies between some of the modern South African tribes and the ancient people of Egypt have already struck many observers, and it will be matter of the highest interest if these new discoveries afford a historical basis for a connection between the two. The subject leads one to notice that, in all human probability, the question of the interpretation of famous rock inscriptions near Mount Sinai is at last satisfactorily settled. Better opportunities than had formerly been at the command of casual travelers were enjoyed by Captain Palmer, a member of the expedition now employed in making a complete and exhaustive survey of the physical features and condition of the Sinaitic region.

Multiplying Seedlings.

Everybody conversant with fruit raising is aware that good fruit trees are raised from seed, in fact that our best varities originate in no other way; but the proportion of good seedlings is so small, it is so long waiting for them to bear, and the whole expense and trouble of bringing them out so great, that the question of lessening the expense and time will be considered important. My plan is this:—Take cuttings from such seedlings as may be considered worth testing, and graft or bud them upon the previous year's wood of a healthy grown tree. In this way an immense number of scions could be put on one tree and nearly every orchard has one or more suitable trees, which do but little in the way of bearing fruit.

I am of the opinion that the wood of a young plant grafted into a tree of a mature growth, would bear as soon as a scion from the old tree; I may be wrong; the thing has not been tried yet; but if it succeeds as well as I expect, what an immense number of apple, pear and other seedlings can be put on trial at a very small outlay of time or money. I hope some of our readers who have a desire to benefit themselves and a fruit-eating community by developing new fruits, will give my plan a trial.—*Cor. Canada Farmer.*

Adulterated Medicines.

The *Journal of Applied Chemistry* informs us that drugs are adulterated to an extent that few, unless in a position to know, would imagine. Opium, for instance, is mentioned as containing fifty per cent. of foreign matter, while Turkey rhubarb is so debased that it is doubtful whether fifty pounds of the genuine article and in a well preserved state, can be found in our whole country. Iodide of potassium is sometimes found adulterated with carbonate of potassa to the extent of eighty per cent.; hence the physician either increases the doses or condemns the drug entirely; or, should he fix upon the amount required by his experience in the use of such an article, and afterward obtain that which is pure, he will find his patient exhibit the symptoms of being poisoned. Nor is the adulteration limited to a few unprincipled dealers here and there through the country, but it is so general that the leading importers of drugs are aware of it; nor do they deny it, although it might be supposed that their interest lies in the concealment.

Voices of the Night.

"If a cat doth meet a cat, upon the garden wall, and if a cat doth greet a cat, oh! need they both to squall? Every Tommy has got his Tabby, waiting on the wall, and yet she welcomes his approach by one unearthly yawl. If a kit doth wish to court a rock upon the wall, why don't he sweetly sit and smile, and not stand up and bawl; and lift his precious back up high, and show his teeth and moan; as if 't were colic more than love, that made the 'feller' groan? Among the train there is a swain; his voice is known full well; but what's his name, or where's his 'hame,' the deuce alone can tell. He is sweet upon the other sex, his amorous passions rise, he can't resist the tender glance of their seductive eyes; and so, with groans and horrid threats, he rends the evening air, and makes these midnight 'rendezvous' impossible to bear."

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DECORATION DAY.

Interesting and Impressive Ceremonies.

Observance of the Day at Youngstown, Mansfield and Bucyrus, Ohio: Sewickley and Rochester, Pa.

At Youngstown.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 31, 1869.

An immense crowd from the surrounding country assembled here yesterday to witness the decorating of the soldiers' graves. The morning train from Cleveland, and a special train from Sharon came in loaded down. At 1:30 the procession formed and marched to the cemetery. Several appropriate speeches were made and an oration delivered by Rev. Mr. Maxwell, after which the Decorating Committees were escorted to the soldiers' graves by a detachment of the G. A. R., and by a signal of the bugle the flowers were strewn simultaneously.

At Mansfield, Ohio.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

MANSFIELD, O., May 30, 1869.

The ceremony of decorating the graves of our fallen heroes took place in this city yesterday. At half-past four in the afternoon, the Mansfield Post of G. A. R., accompanied by large numbers of citizens, marched to the cemetery in procession, headed by bands of music. Arrived in front of the cemetery a halt was ordered, when General R. Brinkerhoff read the order of General Logan, and was followed by Rev. J. E. Twitchell in an impressive prayer. The Philharmonic Society then sang a hymn, after which the procession filed through the cemetery, scattering flowers on the graves of the dead soldiers, which were designated by flags. An address had been prepared by Rev. H. Nichols to follow the ceremony of decoration, but the descending rain cut short this part of the programme. There are forty-six soldiers' graves in the Mansfield Cemetery.

At Bucyrus, Ohio.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

BUCYRUS, O., May 30, 1869.

Decoration day, notwithstanding the continuous torrents of rain that poured down from morning till night, was observed here with most impressive ceremony and solemnity. The radical differences of political opinion that existed during the war merged in the desire to honor the memory of those who died for their country. The services were participated in by all denominations and parties. An immense concourse of people crowded Rose's Hall. The services were conducted with solemnity worthy the day and occasion. The annual address was delivered by Col. W. C. Lemart. Had the weather been auspicious, many thousands would have joined the procession. As it was, its success was marked.

Brooklyn, N. Y.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The ceremony of decorating the graves of Union dead in Brooklyn cemeteries took place to-day. The observance by citizens was more general than last year. At Fort Hamilton the ceremonies took place at 9 A. M., and consisted of prayer, the reading of President Lincoln's Gettysburg inauguration address, and an address by General Nelson Cross. The ceremonies at Greenwood and at the Naval Cemetery took place at 10 o'clock. The graves at Holy Cross Cemetery at Flatbush, and Evergreen Cemetery, were also decorated at ten o'clock. The principal ceremony took place at Cypress Hill, where there are about three thousand five hundred graves of Union soldiers, many of whom died from privations at Andersonville and Libby prisons. The several details assigned to decorate the graves at other cemeteries all united at Cypress Hill, and the attendance was very large and the services solemn and impressive, occupying several hours. After a dirge by the Ft. Hamilton Band, an anthem was sung by the Brooklyn Choral Union, followed by prayer and reading of President Lincoln's inaugural address. Gen. Stewart L. Woodward delivered an appropriate, patriotic and impressive oration, after which Rev. Sylvester Malone made an address, at the conclusion of which the graves were decorated, and after a closing hymn was sung the assemblage dispersed. The graves at all the cemeteries were profusely strewn with flowers, and everything passed off in the most satisfactory manner.

Memphis, Tenn.

MEMPHIS, May 31.—Commemorative services at the National Cemetery were attended by the G. A. R., various colored societies and a number of citizens. An oration was delivered by Judge Pierce, and addresses delivered by Captain Lee and Dr. Shaw. The ceremonies were cut short by rain in the afternoon.

At Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, May 31.—The ceremony of decorating soldiers' graves took place here yesterday, and twenty-three thousand people participated, although the weather was unpropitious. The addresses by Hon. D. K. Cartter and Gen. A. C. Voorhis, were very impressive.

Baltimore, Md.

BALTIMORE, May 31.—The ceremony of decorating the graves of Union soldiers and sailors at London Park and Laurel Hill cemeteries was largely attended and very impressive.

At Troy.

TROY, N. Y., May 30.—Decoration day was duly observed here, although rain to some extent prevailed.

Binghamtion, N. Y.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., May 31.—The graves of soldiers in three cemeteries of this city were decorated yesterday.

Albany, N. Y.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 31.—A large number of citizens to-day participated in the ceremonies of decorating the graves of deceased soldiers.

Newburg, N. Y.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 31.—The decoration of soldier's graves at Newburg occurred this afternoon.

At New Brighton.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., May 31, 1869.

Decoration day, under the direction of the Grand Army of the Republic, was very appropriately and creditably observed here. The ceremonies took place between the hours of one and four o'clock P. M., in which the various societies—Masons, Odd Fellows and Good Templars—and the citizens generally participated.

The ceremonies in the Cemetery—after a wreath of evergreens and flowers had been placed on each soldier's grave—consisted of prayer, singing, an oration and a poem.

The orator of the day was Rev. Jas. R. Mills, of the Methodist Episcopal Church. His address was full of pathos, eloquence and patriotism. We never listened to a more appropriate or impressive address. We are glad to learn that Mr. Mills will furnish it for publication as provided for by a late act of Congress.

Captain Eberhart, of Post 108, G. A. R., read the following poem, which he wrote expressly for the occasion:

A POEM FOR DECORATION DAY, 1869.

BY G. L. EBERHART.

With solemn tread and muffled drum,
With May's sweet flowers aga'n we come,
To decorate the hallowed graves
Of our beloved and fallen braves.

O brave defenders of the rights of man!
Ye souls who nobly fell in freedom's van!
Accept from us this floral offering,
Which now to you in love and tears we bring.

No more on battlefield ye'll feel
The thrill with which ye grasped the glitt'ring steel;
No more on earth with us the cause renew
In which so willingly your swords ye drew.

No more ye'll breast the battle's shock
Which made the foe, as waves that dash the rock,
In wild confusion break and flee
Before the banners of the free.

No more ye'll hear above your head
The squadron's tramp, or sentry's tread;
No more from dreams, with martial glow,
Will wake to meet the rebel foe.

But long as fame her record keeps,
And Honor guards where Valor sleeps,
Your names shall shine on Glory's scroll
Bright as the sun, immortal as the soul.

And oft as May returns with blossoms bright,
We and our kindred will review this rite;—
Thro' all our Nation's future years,
Bestrew your graves with blooms and tears.

Our lisping babes we'll teach to tell
How on the field of fame ye fell,—
Yes teach them to be brave as ye
To fight for God and liberty.

At Sewickley.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

Memorial Day was very successfully observed in Sewickley. The citizens met at the old Methodist Church in the village, with ample supplies of boquets, garlands, laurel and other evergreen wreaths, whence, under direction of Captain B. C. Christy, having formed into line, they proceeded to the Cemetery. A brass band led the march, followed in order by the soldiers and orphans of the dead. These were succeeded by the citizens generally, the procession closing with a line of carriages. All the graves of the patriot dead, previously indicated by flags planted in the sod, were passed and strewn with flowers, the band leading the way with appropriate music. Those present then gathered under the trees, near the monument, which was suitably decorated, and the services of the occasion were opened with a hymn by the choir.

An excellent address was then delivered by the Rev. Mr. McKenzie. Then followed the beautiful song of "Decoration Day," recently published by Colonel J. I. Nevin. Rev. Mr. Holmes succeeded in a speech delivered with his usual eloquence. Next in the order of performances came the following song, written for the occasion, by Robt. P. Nevin:

MEMORIAL SONG.

I.

ROSES—strew roses, the choicest of May,
Over the graves where the dear ones are laid;
Be the warm passion their blushes betray,
Type of the true love we own for the dead.
Mantle their sleep with the tenderest care,
Make the repose of the slumberers blest;
With the RED crown the turf of their covering there—
Hallow the beds where the Boys are at rest.

II.

LILIES—twine lilies to garland the green,
Wreath all the furrows with leaves of their bloom;
Pure as the faith of our heroes their sheen,
Clear as the fame which its beamings illume.
Mantle their sleep with the tenderest care,
Make the repose of the slumberers blest;
With the RED and the WHITE crown their covering there—
Hallow the beds where the Boys are at rest.

III.

VIOLETS over their ashes be cast!
Perish they soon?—so the beautiful may,
But the perfume—the glory—lives on to the last,
Wasteless and fadeless, abiding for aye.
Mantle their sleep with the tenderest care,
Make the repose of the slumberers blest;
With the RED, WHITE and BLUE crown their covering there—
Hallow the beds where the Boys are at rest!

The services then, after a touching prayer by the Rev Mr. Platt, closed with the singing, by the whole assemblage, accompanied by the brass band, of "We'll Rally Round the Flag."

All the arrangements attending the celebration were well ordered, under the direction of Capt. Christy. There was no delay in the ceremonies, everything set down in the programme coming off promptly, orderly and with fitting deference to propriety. The occasion was one which will be long remembered in the Valley.

PRESBYTERIANISM.

The Old and New School Assemblies

The Meeting in Pittsburgh—Day of Prayer for the Preservation of Peace with England—A Belligerent Clergyman, &c., &c.

NEW SCHOOL ASSEMBLY.

NEW YORK, May 31.—In the New School Presbyterian Assembly Judge Strong made a brief explanation of the composition of the General Assembly to meet in Pittsburgh in November next. It will be the same as that now sitting. Alternates could not take the place of principals who had sat in this body, nor could an alternate who had sat resign his seat to his principal. A committee was appointed to arrange the question, how vacancies occurring by death or resignation should be filled.

A resolution was passed looking to the fostering of the German Theological Seminary at Newark, N. J.

Discussions followed on resolutions from the Old School Assembly, providing for a day of prayer for the preservation of peace between the United States and Great Britain, in the course of which Rev. Dr. Sunderland expressed the opinion that if England could get a good, sound drubbing from somebody, the cause of christian civilization would be put forward one hundred years. He did not care to have this country made the instrument of Divine Providence to administer the castigation, but that it ought to come from somewhere. The subject was finally indefinitely postponed.

A special committee of three was appointed to commend the Bohemian delegates to the churches, as was a committee to meet similar committees from other churches in New York on the third Thursday in October, to confer on the subject of union, viz: Rev. Dr. Heacock, Rev. Arthur Mitchell, Mr. Hastings and Judges Strong and Haines.

The reports of the standing committees on Home Missions, Freedmen, Church Erection and Education were adopted.

Trustees for the church erection fund and Presbyterian House were elected, viz: Trustees of Church Erection Fund—Rev. O. Fred. Smith, D.D., Rev. Samuel D. Burchard, for three years, and Rev. Samuel Newell for two years, in place of Arthur Mitchell, resigned. Trustees of Presbyterian House—J. C. Farr, Chas. S. Wentz, M. D., Rev. Daniel March, D.D., Rev. Wm. I. Eva, Rev. J. Shepherd, D.D.; Auditor of church erection fund, Mr. Tredwell Ketchum.

After some unimportant discussion, the Assembly adjourned to meet in November in Pittsburgh.

OLD SCHOOL ASSEMBLY.

In the Old School Assembly the first Sabbath in October was fixed for taking a collection to defray the expenses of delegates to Pittsburgh in November.

A protest against plan of reunion, signed by Chas. C. Conver, was read and passed over without action.

Dr. Prime, representing the Evangelical alliance of the Protestant countries of the world, addressed the assembly, and resolutions were adopted sympathizing with the conferences to be held under the auspices of that organization in New York this and next year, and also urging the employment, by our ministers and people, of all suitable means to resist the insidious attempts of the Roman Catholics to obtain undue influence in this country.

Considerable routine business was transacted, among which was a re-affirmation in reply to a member of the church at Glendale, Ohio, who said such practices were common in that church of previous action condemning the sitting posture during prayer, and responses of scripture as being liturgical.

Dr. Hornblower, Chairman of the Oligarchial Assemblies, read a report on behalf of the Committee, in which was given a general status of the various seminaries. The report was submitted, signed by H. G. Spafton and J. Q. Stewart. Exceptions were taken to the report of the majority of the committee, claiming that the Trustees of the Seminary had not been legally elected, and that they had disregarded the will of the directors, to whom it was said they were subservient.

A question was raised if the petition thus presented was in order. Senator Drake said according to parliamentary usage a minority report was in order after the hearing of the report. A motion was made by Senator Drake that the whole matter of difference be referred to a special committee of five, who, if necessary, should proceed to Chicago to examine into the affairs of the Seminary, and that a report be made to the General Assembly to convene at Pittsburgh in November.

Much discussion ensued, in which Dr. Skinner, J. B. Stewart, and Dr. Hornblower took part, the two former maintained that the report of the majority was a misrepresentation of affairs connected with the Assembly. The latter attempted to justify the action of the committee. The minority report was accepted, and further discussion followed by Dr. Hall and others.

A motion was made to lay the motion to refer on the table. On a division of the house the motion was lost.

H. Bay said he thought the action of the minority was unjust, for they refused to make their complaints before the committee, and that no censure ought to fall upon the committee.

Rev. Mr. Pharner said the Assembly was not ready to decide the matter between the two reports, and they ought to be reconsidered.

Dr. Anderson, of New Albany, Ind., hoped the matter would be settled amicably, by agreeing to refer it to a special committee.

On a motion of postponement Rev. J. H. Morrow said he was opposed to it. He said he represented a majority of the west.

Mr. Shutz spoke in opposition to postponement. The motion was lost.

The motion of Senator Drake to refer to a Special Committee was nearly unanimously adopted. The debate was a very spirited one, in which many of the ablest of the Assembly took part. The question involves a gift of money to the Seminary, and an alleged right to control its application. Political matters also are to some extent involved.

A resolution was adopted that when the Assembly adjourns, it do so to meet in the First Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh.

The report of the Committee on Systematic Beneficence was read, showing the receipts by all the boards during the year at $652,567, or an excess over the previous year of $40,787.

Resolutions looking to the apportionment of future contributions for the cause of systematic beneficence were discussed until the adjournment for the day.

BEAVER COUNTY.

The Result of the Republican Primary Meetings of Saturday.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

ROCHESTER, PA., May 31, 1869.

The following candidates were nominated at the Republican primary meetings on Saturday, by the Crawford county system: Senate, James S. Rutan; Assembly, Dr. Wm. Sherlock, George W. Barker; Sheriff, Arthur Shields; Treasurer, Eben Allison; Register and Recorder, Darius Singleton; Clerk of Court, John C. Hart; Commissioner, Joseph Brittain; Poor House Director, John White; Auditor, W. Hall Lukens; Trustees of Academy, D. P. Lowary, Jas. M. Smith. Our old friend Hall Lukens polled the highest vote, he having fourteen hundred and twenty-five in the county. M. Weyand, Esq., was elected chairman of the County Committee. L.

Heavy Rains at Mansfield, Ohio.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

MANSFIELD, O., May 30, 1869.

Heavy rains for the past few days have greatly swollen the streams in this vicinity. A culvert on the Sandusky, Mansfield and Newark railroad, has been swept away, detaining trains. A lot of machinery in Aultman's yard in the lower part of the town, was somewhat injured by water.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Cattle Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—With a total of 6,013 cattle for the week there is very little change either in demand or prices. The market has been unusually steady for a week, and to-day we have 2,950 beeves on sale, all of them fresh arrivals. The demand was moderately active, and the yards were cleared of stock at 14@16c for nine-tenths of the cattle. A small number of best reached 16½c; of these two prices are easier to-day than last Monday. The quality was pretty good, but not up to the standard of last week. 5,229 cattle came from Illinois, 300 from Missouri, 340 from Iowa, the rest scattering. Sales 75 good 7 cwt at 15c; the Alexanders had 624 Illinois steers, 7¾ cwt, sold at 14½@16c; 57 fat Texas for Pratt & Heath, 7 cwt, averaging $104, being fine; a car of 7¼ cwt Kentucky cattle brought $116; a car 6¾ cwt Michigan steers brought 14¼c.

Sheep are slow, with 19,700 for the week and 6,600 for to-day, only about half of which are likely to sell. Prices are firm and even lower than on Saturday. They ranged from 4½c to 5½c for thin, to 6½@7c for fair to prime, with choice lots at 7¼c, all sheared. Lambs are selling at 12@14c. A lot of 77 head of 53 lbs brought 13c, and 140 of 55 lbs at 14c; a car Ohio sheep of 79 lbs sold at 6c; a car of 85 lbs at 7c; a car of thin 73 lbs at 5½c; a car of prime 86 lbs at 7¼c.

Hogs steady; total for week 26 600; on sale to-day 61 cars. Live range from 9c to 9¾c, with dressed at 11½c. One car live of 220 lbs brought 9¾c; one car of 194 lbs $9 31¼ ₶ cwt.

Latest Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, May 31—10 P. M.

At the open board in the afternoon there was very little done in the grain markets, and prices were without important change. No. 2 spring wheat selling at $1 15¼@1 16, deliverable immediately. Corn inactive; dealers awaiting results of the corner case now before the committee of the Board of Trade. Other grains were also neglected. Provisions dull. Lake freights quiet.

Beef cattle in rather light supply, but at unchanged prices, and fairly active to the extent of the offerings. Receipts 759 head; sales 433 head at a range of $5 00@7 40 according to quality.

Hogs moderately active; receipts comparatively light and a fair demand existed; prices firm and steady at Saturday's quotations; fresh recipts 1,684 head; sales 2,782 head.

Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, May 31.—Flour dull. Wheat steady; sales 50 000 bush No. 2 Chicago spring at $1 26; 15,000 do No. 2 Milwaukee at $1 26, all to arrive; also 18,000 do No. 1 Milwaukee at $1 30; 8,000 do do at $1 29, and 7,000 do amber winter on private terms. Corn quiet; sales 25,000 bush new at 65@71c. Oats held at 69c, no buyers. Rye nominally $1 15 for No. 1. Barley and seeds nominal. Pork dull at $31 50. Lard 19¼c. Highwines lower, nominally $1 00.

Albany Cattle Market.

ALBANY, May 31.—The demand for beeves was very fair to-day, and between 2,000 and 3,000 changed hands at 7@7¾c for light to ordinary Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee, and 8@8½c for good to extra. The supply is quite up to the demand. Sheep are rather slow of sale at 5½@7c. Hogs lower; sales 1,000 at 9¼@9½c for weight of about 230 pounds.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, May 31.—Cotton—middlings 28¾c; sales 2,000 bales; receipts 1,429 bales; exports 2,928 bales. Sugar—common 9¾c; prime 13¼@13½c. Molasses dull fermenting 40@55c. Coffee—fair 15½c; prime 16½@17½c.

Nashville Cotton Market.

NASHVILLE, May 31.—Cotton market firm; low middling 25½c; good ordinary 24c.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

WASHINGTON.

Indian Supplies Going Forward.

Removal of an Ex-Confederate Officer from an Assessorship—The Haytien Mission—Claim Against Longstreet—Right of Military Commanders to Seize Lawless Persons in the South—Sons of Temperance—Grant to Visit Annapolis.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, May 31, 1869.

Indian Supplies.

The War Department has later advices from the plains, showing that supplies are going forward with unusual rapidity under the supervision of the Quartermaster. Many military agents are on the way to their posts, and there is increased confidence here in army circles that general troubles with the Indians will be avoided.

Removal of an Assessor.

There was quite an interesting time at the White House this morning, in regard to an Internal Revenue appointment which Gen. Grant seem inclined to correct as coming under the head of mistakes. It seems that Mr. Delano had appointed an ex-confederate to the assessorship in Georgia. Quite a delegation of Georgians called on the President to-day, and insisted that the man had been a volunteer officer in the rebel service, and discharged for drunkenness and gross immorality. The President, after an examination of the papers submitted in support of the statement made, immediately sent for Mr. Delano, and it is believed that the removal of the Assessor was ordered.

The Haytien Mission.

Upon invitation of the President, Minister Bassett, to Hayti, had a long interview this afternoon, to receive the views of the Executive regarding affairs in that and the adjacent islands.

Longstreet's Little Account.

Mr. Auditor Clarke is pushing his correspondence with ex-rebel officers. He has just received a reply from General Longstreet regarding an unpaid account. Longstreet asked to have copies sent him of certain quartermaster's vouchers which were charged to him, and the reasons for this transfer, and says the stirring events of the last ten years have prevented him from keeping full files of his papers.

The Southern Troubles.

The opinion of the Attorney General upon the right of military commanders to take prisoners from the hands of the civil authorities and try them by military courts, will probably be up for the consideration of the Cabinet to-morrow. So far as this decision is concerned, it is held that Georgia is in the same legal condition as Texas, Mississippi and Virginia. So that in case the Attorney General decides that these courts have the right to interfere, it is believed, the result will be to put an end to lawlessness in these four States.

Temperance.

On June 9th the National Division of the Sons of Temperance of North America will commence its annual session in this city, and continue four days. Delegates will be entertained while here by the Grand Lodge of this District. There will be a reception on June 9th. On Friday, the 11th, an excursion down the Potomac will take place, and exercises will be held at the tomb of Washington. Among the delegates will be Dr. F. R. Lees, the temperance champion of England; Neal Dow, of Maine; Lewis E. Wagner, of Pennsylvania; John M. Stearns, of New York; Edward Carswell, of Canada, and others, over two hundred in all.

President Grant.

The President will leave here on Thurday next for Annapolis, where he will remain until Saturday and attend the Grand Ball at the Naval Academy on Friday night. He will probably visit West Point about the 10th inst. Secretary Cox will accompany him to the latter place.

WASHINGTON, May 30, 1869.

FIGHT WITH INDIANS.

The following telegram has been received at the War Department:

To Adjutant General Townsend, War Department: An official report was received to-day of an engagement near Double Mountain, west of Fort Griffin, between a scouting party from the fort and a band of Camanches and Kiowa Indians, in which fourteen Indians were killed. I will send a detailed report by mail.
[Signed] J. J. REYNOLDS,
Brevet Major General Commanding.

MINOR MATTERS.

The President has determined to attend a ball at the Naval Academy on Friday. He will not leave Washington for West Point until June 10.

Col. R. M. Douglass, of the President's staff, leaves here this evening to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Granger, who died at Clifton Springs, New York.

Among the callers on the President this morning was Hon. A. G. Curtin, United States Minister to Russia.

Hon. B. F. Wade was to-day commissioned a director of the Union Pacific Railroad. He had an interview with the President this afternoon.

INTERNAL REVENUE RECEIPTS.

The receipts to-day from internal revenue were $250,000; for the month $20,277,796, and for the fiscal year to date, eleven months, $135,880,171.

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Bill Disestablishing the Irish Church Passed by the House of Commons—Object of Ismael Pasha's Tour—Protestant Congress at Worms—A United German Church—Addresses to Minister Motley at Liverpool—His Remarks in Reply.

The Irish Church Bill Passed.

LONDON, May 31.—In the House of Commons to-night, Mr. Gladstone moved the third reading of the bill for the disestablishment of the Irish church. A large number of petitions against the passage of the bill were then presented, after which James Maden Holt, member from Northeast Lancashire, made, and Lord Elks, member for Hadingshire, seconded a motion that the bill be rejected. A long but uninteresting debate followed, terminating in the refusal of the House to accept Holt's proposition, and the passage of the bill by a vote of 361 against 247. The result was received with uproarious cheering from the Ministerial benches. The House shortly afterwards adjourned.

The Suez Canal.

VIENNA, May 31.—It is said Ismael Pasha's tour, which will extend throughout Europe, is for the purpose of determining the question whether the Suez canal is to be considered a subject for the neutrality of all nations and for all time.

Protestant Congress.

WORMS, May 31.—The Protestant Congress which assembled here to-day was attended by twenty thousand persons, including representatives from every states of Germany. The Congress, by unanimous vote, resolved against the Papal invitation to return to the Roman Church, and in condemnation of the encyclical letter and syllabus. The idea of the formation of a united German Church is mooted.

Address to Minister Motley.

LIVERPOOL, May 31.—Mr. Motley, the new Minister of the United States, received addresses of the Chambers of Commerce at his hotel this morning. In reply to that of the American Chamber of Commerce, he returned thanks for the welcome he had received as the representative of the United States. He said it was the earnest hope and chief wish of President Grant's administration, and of the people of America, to retain faithfully friendly and equitable relations with the Government and people of Great Britain. The happiness of the world, the advancement of civilization, the best hopes of humanity depended on the concord of all branches of the human family, more especially on that of the two leading nations, both connected by personal interest, allied by blood, addicted to commerce and the cultivation of the arts of peace. Mr. Motley concluded as follows: "My most strenuous efforts shall be devoted to further a good understanding on the basis of enduring friendship and kindly relations, in accordance with the great principles of justice and honor which are the inimitable and only safe, unerring guides in the conduct of nations."

In answer to the address of the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Motley expressed his high appreciation of the friendly sentiments toward America, and assured them that during the period of his office he should endeavor to promote a good understanding between the two nations of the same race, bound by a unity of interest hitherto unequaled. The best and highest purposes of both were fulfilled by faithful friendship. The American people and the American Government desired relations with Great Britain on the basis of justice and regard to the rights and duties of both. It was the warmest wish of America to extend commerce, but the question of free trade was beyond the limits of his functions, its settlement being vested by the people in Congress.

Shipping Intelligence.

LONDON, May 31.—The steamers Union and Nevada, from New York, arrived out yesterday, and the Aleppo, City of Cork, City of Brooklyn and St. David to-day.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Evening, May 31.—Consols for money 93; American securities firm; 5-20 bonds 80⅝; at Frankfort 86. Erie 19; Illinois, 96; stocks firm.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, May 31.—Cotton market—middling uplands 11¾d; do Orleans 11½d; sales 12,000 bales. California white wheat 9s 9d; red western 8s 9d. Western Flour 22s 6d. Corn, mixed, 27s 6d. Oats 3s 4d. Barley 5s. Peas 38s 6d. Pork 100s. Beef 90s. Lard 70s. Cheese 82s. Bacon 60s. Spirits petroleum 7½d; refined 1s 8¼d; tallow 45s 6d. Turpentine 28s. Linseed oil 32s. Linseed cakes £10.

London Produce Market.

LONDON, May 31.—Tallow 42s 9d. Linseed oil £31. Sugar easier; on spot 39s 6d@40s. Petroleum at Antwerp firmer at 47¼ francs. Cotton at Havre quiet and steady at 140 francs on spot, 135¼ afloat.

CUBA.

Troops in Pursuit of Filibusters.

Insurgents Massing at Las Tunas—Fight at Puerto Padre—Skirmish at Cienfuegos.

HAVANA, May 31.—The troops are in active pursuit of the filibusters who landed in the Bay of Nipe, and have captured three of their cannon and killed Manuel Guersa, the commander of the riflemen.

A heavy engagement has taken place at Puerto Padre. The insurgents are massing their forces in the vicinity of Las Tunas. A skirmish is reported near Cienfuegos, between the regulars and insurgents.

Captain General Dulce's order sending a number of political prisoners to Spain is revoked.

Hail Storm in Mahoning County, Ohio.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

MANSFIELD, O., May 31, 1869.

There was a terrific hail storm at Struther's, Mahoning county, Ohio, yesterday afternoon, May 30th. Hail stones fell from one to two inches in diameter, accompanied by a heavy wind, destroying property on every hand. It lasted for thirty minutes.

NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

A Lima letter of the 14th says: The government has recognized the Cubans as belligerents, and decided to grant them all the usual privileges. Senor Valera, a Cuban commissioner, had arrived at Lima some time previously, to ask the loan of the Peruvian monitors for the use of the Cuban insurgents, but the request has not been complied with.

A Panama letter says three sailors belonging to the British ship Kensington, who were thrown into prison some time ago by the police in Aspinwall, prove to be Americans, who arrived during the war, and Consul Rice is trying to get them out. They were fired upon, wounded and put into chains, and so have remained for a month, almost starved, without any prospect of a trial.

Valparaiso advices of the 3d state that the Chilean Congress is discussing the question of recognizing the Cubans as belligerents.

Boyer's linseed oil mills, Water street, New York, were burned on Sunday. Loss $30,000.

Fitzgerald's varnish works, Brooklyn, were burned Sunday night. Loss $6,000.

The eight hour law has been promulgated at the navy yard, Brooklyn.

General Sherman has accepted an invitation from Senator Patterson to attend the Commencement exercises at Dartmouth College, New Hampshire, on the 21st and 22d of July. An invitation has also been extended to the President, and it is not improbable that he will attend also.

A statement prepared at the Treasury Department reveals the fact that since the year 1861 there has been paid into the Treasury as a conscience fund eighty thousand two hundred and thirty-eight dollars and ninety cents. The amount paid in each year is rapidly growing larger—in 1861 only two hundred and fifty dollars was paid in, while during five months of this year over fifteen thousand dollars have been received. Two thousand dollars were received yesterday morning.

The body of Miss Eva Jones, lost on the mail steamer United States when she collided with the America, several months ago, was found in the Ohio river, at the foot of Vevay Island, on Thursday. The remains were identified by her name being marked on her underclothing, and by her ear rings and breast pin. The corpse was placed in a metallic case and sent to Louisville by the steamer General Buell, to the care of Captain Frank Carter. They will be sent to her home in Florida for interment.

Mosquera's chances for the Presidency of Colombia are brightening daily. His election will be an inseparable bar to all the United States treaties on the subject of a Darien canal, as he cordially hates Republicanism.

Great damage has been done by the heavy rains of the past three days to the farms and crops on the bottom lands in the vicinity of Indianapolis, Indiana.

Six prisoners escaped from jail at Detroit yesterday.

Fossil Creek Station, on the Kansas Pacific Railroad, was attacked by Indians Friday night, and two men killed and four wounded. The Indians also tore up a portion of the track, and a train from Hays City was thrown off. Gen. Custer sent a squad of soldiers in pursuit.

The will of Dr. James E. Rush, of Philadelphia, disposes of a million dollars, and the estate, after providing for certain moderate legacies, goes to the Philadelphia Library Company to purchase a lot and erect a building to be called the Ridgeway branch of the Philadelphia Library.

Three men and two women, servants at a hotel in New Brighton, Staten Island, were out in a small boat Sunday evening. A squall came up, the boat capsized, and three were drowned. It is said all were intoxicated.

Ole Bull has tendered his services to the Peace Jubilee at Boston.

The axle works of Barber, Sheldon & Co., at the Auburn, N. Y., Prison, were partially destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss heavy, partially insured.

Dr. Wm. Magruder, ex-Mayor of Washington City, died yesterday.

The Rockford (Ill.) *Register*, referring to Mrs. Dixon, who shot her husband dead in that city a few days since, says that at the time she fired the fatal shot she was sitting behind him, and so near that the muzzle of the pistol almost touched his back. After she fired and the pistol was wrenched from her by her victim, she fell back unconscious, and has remained in that condition during most of the time that has since elapsed. In her intervals of consciousness she seems to have no recollection of what has happened, but appears to be looking forward with dread to the interview with her husband next Wednesday. She calls for her babe frequently, even while it is lying in her arms, and seems to fear some one is coming to take it from her. The day she committed the deed was the first she had risen from her bed since her confinement.

Wm. H. Andrews, a Louisville dry goods merchant, has made an assignment. His liabilities amount to over a million dollars.

A shipment of 3,000 bushels of new wheat was received at Memphis Saturday. It came from Panola county, Miss.

L. Chapman's carriage manufactory at Cambridge, Mass., was burned yesterday. Loss $15,000.

Dispatches from Logansport, Vincennes, Gosport and the region of White Water Valley, Indiana, report serious injury to crops by the recent storm. The corn will have to be replanted. Similar damages are reported from the country between Cincinnati and Dayton.

Several workmen in a carpenter shop on Seventh avenue, New York, were severely injured yesterday, by the falling of the roof.

In the steamship Quaker City case the owners of the vessel have filed their answer, which simply denies all the allegations in the libel that the vessel was fitted out as a privateer.

The Kansas City, Fort Scott and Gulf Railroad was opened to Paoli, Kansas, yesterday. It is expected the road will be completed to Fort Scott by the middle of August.

Nathan Clark was arrested at Masterton, Monroe county, Ohio, on Thursday last, for having counterfeit money in his possession.

A terrific storm passed over portions of Grundy and Caldwell counties, Missouri, last week. Several houses were blown down, and considerable damage done.

Parties just in from Republican river report that the Indians captured six buffalo hunters, and killed five of them. Many settlers had gone to Lake Sibley for protection. Reports from Rose creek and White Rock state that the Indians were scouring the country north and west of the Republican and on Little Blue river, attacking small hunting parties and killing settlers remote from settlements, driving off all the stock they can get. The settlers in Republican held a meeting Saturday, and are organizing to protect themselves. Several hunting parties are still out, and it is feared some of them have been captured or killed.

At Franklin, Tennessee, on Sunday, Jos. R. MaGavoc was stabbed with a knife and killed by John F. De Gaffercide. Both were young men of high social position, and friends till a short time before the murder. De Gaffercide had taken offense at a playful remark made by McGavoc, and would receive no apology, although one was made, but armed himself with a knife, got a horse and pursued McGavoc, who had started to his uncle's a short distance from town. Having overtaken McGavoc he dismounted, and although McGavoc told him he was unarmed, carried out his purpose, killed him, then made off and escaped.

AN English paper relates that about five months ago a girl about twelve years of age became ill, and in a short time fell into a lethargic state, resembling that of a person in a trance. In this condition she remained for several weeks, but at length returned to a state of consciousness, and, calling upon her mother, related how she had been in heaven and seen numerous angels, and her brother, who died some time ago. This power of speech remained only for a short time, and the girl relapsed into her former state, or nearly so. She lies in a lethargic condition, but when a question is put to her she manifests her power of understanding it by a slight moving of the head. The only sustenance she has taken for fully fifteen weeks has been the occasional moistening of her lips with a little brandy and water or tea.

CITY MATTERS.

ACCIDENT.—As officer Mulvaney of the Mayor's police was passing along Smithfield street yesterday near the corner of Second avenue he stepped upon a vault covering, and it being improperly fastened, it fell down and he was carried with it into the cellar, receiving some severe bruises. The owner of the premises on which the accident occurred should be prosecuted.

EARLY CLOSING.—Messrs. J. B. McFadden & Co., John Stevenson's Sons & Co. and H. Richardson & Co., jewelers, have decided to close their respective establishments at five o'clock P. M. from June 1st to September 1st.

ANTI-LAY DELEGATION.

Meeting at the Smithfield Street M. E. Church—Address by J. W. F. White, Esq.

The subject of a change in the constitution of the Methodist Episcopal Church, so as to admit laymen to representation in the law making body—the General Conference—is now exciting general interest throughout the denomination, as a vote will be taken on the subject during the month of June, for the purpose of ascertaining the sense of the membership.

A few days ago we published the able address of Bishop Simpson, in favor of lay delegation, and those of our readers who perused the same are fully acquainted with the principal arguments advanced by him. The meeting addressed by Bishop Simpson was held in the Smithfield Street M. E. Church, on Monday of last week, and was adjourned to meet on last evening, for the purpose of hearing the other side.

Mr. Wm. Brickell opened the meeting, and stated that he was pleased to see so many present. They had assembled in no spirit of dissension, but for the purpose of obtaining such light on the subject of lay delegation as a fair and intelligent discussion was calculated to impart. He stated that the officers of the previous meeting were by right and courtesy entitled to preside at this; but as the Hon. James L. Graham was absent, he would move that Mr. Hoffstott preside.

Mr. Hoffstott declined peremptorily to serve, but Mr. Brickell assured him that whether he was in favor of or opposed to lay delegation, it would not interfere with his presiding at the meeting.

Mr. Hoffstott replied that he did not wish to identify himself with the movement.

Mr. Brickell was then nominated and unanimously chosen to preside.

Rev. R. T. Miller was requested to conduct the devotional exercises, and the services were opened by singing the 22d Hymn, followed by prayer.

ADDRESS BY J. W. F. WHITE, ESQ.

J. W. F. White, Esq., was then introduced and opened by remarking that, as a layman, he had nothing to gain personally by opposing lay delegation; but he was opposed to the change, believing that it was not only no improvement, but mischievous and wrong. He traced the growth of Methodism in the United States, from a band of despised ministers and members to the largest and most influential denomination in the land. But there were some persons who were not satisfied with the policy of the church under which it had been so prosperous, and a change was proposed in the organic law, which he now proposed to discuss. He then proposed to answer the arguments on the other side.

First. The insinuation that the Methodists were a "priest-ridden" people, was discussed and denied, the speaker holding that there was no similarity whatever between the Methodist and the Catholic churches, as regarded the power of the ministry.

Second. It was claimed that the laity had a right to a voice in the government and administration of the church—and so they had. He showed that from the year 1784 down to the present day, there had been no change in the form of government, or a single fundamental feature of it. There had been changes and improvements—the natural growth of the church—but these changes simply resulted from following the example of Wesley in England. He utterly denied that the General Conference had any power to introduce lay delegation. There was no power given them to do so, either express or implied, and such a change would be radical and revolutionary. Bishops Coke and Asbury expressly say that lay delegation would break down the itinerant system. It is laid down that the itinerancy and the absence of lay delegation were the fundamental features of the Methodist Episcopal Church. There was no provision in the organic law of the church for taking a vote of the membership on the subject of lay delegation, and to do so would be a revolutionary act. Get lay delegation once into the General Conference, and no one could imagine or dream of the changes which might take place in the Methodist Church.

Third. It was argued that lay delegation would prevent hasty legislation. On this point he would recall but one case of alleged hasty legislation—that of the separation of the Church South. The speaker denied that lay delegation would have prevented the separation, and also denied that the legislation was hasty.

Fourth. It was claimed that lay delegation would harmonize the church economy with the spirit of the age, and the spirit of the American mind. On this point the speaker stated that there was a good deal of cajoling and flattery employed to get votes in favor of lay delegation—the ladies being patted on the check and told they were to exercise the right of suffrage, but they have not been told that when the little ballot fell into the box silently, like a snow flake, the ballot box would be closed upon them forever—that this first vote would be their last. (Applause.) After that the Quarterly Conference would do all the voting. There were many excellent laymen, but they were not a whit better than the ministry, who were fully acquainted with all the wants and requirements of the Church.

Another objection was, that if lay delegation ever be proper, by limit it to about one-fourth of the number of representatives to the General Conference. That was certainly not "popular" representation where the laity stood one hundred to one, and he could regard it in no other light than a monstrous cheat and delusion. Again under the change as proposed, a mere handful of the laity might delay or defeat the most important measures of the church—a mere faction of a majority might, wielding immense and unparalleled power, do incalculable injury to the denomination. It was said that a fair presumption was against the laity doing anything wrong, but an equally fair presumption was that the ministry would never require the checks of lay delegation. The speaker concluded by an earnest and eloquent appeal to the people to stand by the old ship and the old pilots, who had achieved for the church the grandest history on record.

A unanimous vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. White for his able address, and a copy was requested for publication.

We may state that a number of persons who were present expressed the opinion that the arguments of Mr. White were among the most able and convincing yet advanced against lay delegation.

The meeting then joined in singing the doxology, and was dismissed with the benediction.

Additional Delegates.

The following additional delegates have been received:

Moon Township—County, Hugh Scott, Robt. Ferree; Legislative, Jacob Ferree, Wm. H. Guy; Judicial, Alfred McCabe, Robt. Wilson.

Findley—County, Jas. R. Byers, S. S. Burns; Legislative, Samuel Byers, Wilson Hood; Judicial, Alex. R. Burns, Geo. Burns.

North Fayette—County—Daniel Hoffman, John Kelso. Legislative—Samuel Dickson, John H. Morgan. Judicial—Mark Robb, H. E. McBride.

South Fayette—Legislative— —— McElroy, Levi Gregg.

Killbuck—County—A. G. Oakley, Wm. Knoderer. Legislative—Minas Tindle, J. W. Robinson. Judicial—R. H. Davis, J. H. Mueller.

Patton—County—T. J. Chalfant, Wm. Cunningham. Legislative—Thomas McMaster, Wm. N. Haymaker. Judicial—Robert Cingston, Wm. Thompson.

Sad Fatality—A Woman Struck by Lightning.

A most lamentable accident occurred during the prevalence of the storm yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Mary Tustan, who resides on Pennsylvania avenue, near Lippincott's lane, was in the act of lowering a window in the second story of her house, when a flash of lightning struck her and prostrated her. It first struck the chimney, so we are informed, and glanced off to the window where the unfortunate woman was at the time. The house immediately took fire and an alarm was sounded from box 53, but the fire was extinguished without the aid of the engines. Dr. Rex was at once sent for, but before he arrived death had ensued. The deceased was an aunt of Esquire Morrow, Clerk of Select Council. No inquest will be held.

CONCERT AT SMITHFIELD M. E. CHURCH.—On Thursday evening a concert will be given in Smithfield M. E. Church, corner of Seventh avenue, which promises to be one of the most delightful entertainments we have heard in a long time. Among those who will take part, including the choir of the church, are Miss Sue Beck and Professors Giles, Alexander and Manning. The programme includes several choice solos, duetts and choruses, with instrumental selections judiciously interspersed. With such a combination of accomplished vocalists, and so admirably selected a programme the Concert cannot be otherwise than pleasing and attractive, and we expect to see the ample audience room of the church filled to overflowing. Remember Thursday evening.

BOLD ROBBERY.—Between eleven and twelve o'clock yesterday morning two men entered the store of Julian Allen, No. 8 Sixth avenue, during the absence of the agent, Mr. Daniel F. Dinan, and while attracting the attention of the book-keeper in reference to price lists, &c., picked up a bank book, which he had inadvertently laid on the counter when they came in, and escaped with it. The book contained one hundred and thirty-two dollars, and was not missed until about three o'clock in the afternoon. The thieves are at large.

FALL OF A BUILDING.—Between four and five o'clock yesterday afternoon, the posts which support the carpenter shop of John D. Groves, on Diamond just above Smithfield street, gave way, and a portion of the front wall of the building fell out on the pavement and street. A boy who was in the shop at the time was covered in the wreck, but fortunately escaped serious injury. The heavy rain during the afternoon washed the earth from about the posts and caused them to give way.

FOUND DROWNED.—Yesterday morning a man named Thomas Burke, an employee at Hay's coal works at Six Mile Ferry was taken from the Monongahela river, having been drowned on Saturday. It is said that he committed suicide. Coroner Clawson was notified, and after empanneling a jury adjourned the inquest until 12 M. to-day.

THE SINGING PILGRIM.—Philip Phillips, the "Singing Pilgrim," will give a concert in the First Methodist Church, Fifth avenue (Rev. Clark's), on to-morrow evening. The selections will embrace several of Mr. Philips's best songs, and will be exquisitely sung, of course.

FATAL ACCIDENT IN A COAL MINE.—On yesterday a coal miner named Patrick Flaherty, employed at Moore's coal mines, on the line of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville railroad, received fatal injuries by the fall of a mass of slate.

DISCHARGED.—George Stevens, who was arrested some days since by the Allegheny police, charged with being connected with the robbery at R. Robinson & Co.'s, on Liberty street, has been discharged, there being no evidence against him.

BUSINESS AT THE MAYOR'S OFFICE.—Nineteen informations for disorderly conduct, and eleven for selling liquor on Sunday, were preferred before Mayor Brush yesterday.

STEAMER FOR SALE.—The steamer "R. C. Gray," one of the best boats of her class, is offered for sale as she now lies at the wharf. See card of Capt. Anderson on third page.

ALGEO'S new jewelry store is at No. 45 Sixth street (late St. Clair.)

THE POLICE COMMITTEE.—The Police Committee met this evening.

Aquatics.

In our aquatic notes of the 22d ult., in referring to boating matters some years ago, we gave a brief account of the first big race that took place in Pittsburgh, between the Richard Biddle, of this city, and the Ben Shamburg, of New York, both eight-oared boats. By request, we give the names of those composing the crews. Of the Richard Biddle there were F. Anderson, stroke; D. McAfee, Ralph Gray, Jas. Gray, R. Nixon, Wm. Hays, R. Best, J. Carson and D. Holmes, coxswain. The Shamburg crew were J. E. Newhouse, stroke; J. D. McElroy, Thomas Whitten, Dr. Corbin, Ralph Jackson, A. Wilson, D. Jeffries, Joseph Oliver and A. D. Reno, coxswain. The race was rowed in 1841, on the lower Monongahela course, the distance being five miles, and as stated, was the first big race in Pittsburgh. The purse being $1,000, the race, of course, occasioned considerable excitement, and the betting was very heavy. The Shamburg appeared to be the favorite until the day of the race, when the odds turned in favor of the Biddle. It is thought more money changed hands in this race than any previous or subsequent race that has taken place in Pittsburgh. Many of our citizens recollect it.

The race between William Sharp, of the McKee Club, and William Jackson, Jr., is still pending, no definite conclusion having been arrived at.

A grand regatta is arranged to come off on the Louisville course on Thursday next. There ar to be six different races, the last being a genuine Yankee pine race between "Romie Ypstriem" and "Pollie Widoar," two of the greatest experts of the season.

John Tyler refuses to row Mckeil any place but at Boston, for the reason that no better course can be found in the country than the Charles river. He guarantees a fair race, and allows Mekeil $50 for expenses. The race will be for a purse of $500. James Delaney, of Cold Spring, the backer of John Mckeil, asserts that the latter will positively row Tyler, but if possible, he wants the race to come off on the Hudson river. Mekeil is said to be in excellent condition.

An eastern sporting paper says: "Henry Coulter, the Manchester oarsman, is at present negotiating a match with Hamill, to row him five miles on the Monongahela, for five hundred dollars a side." This is news to our readers. True, Coulter announces himself as ready to row Hamill, but no negotiations are pending, nor will there be until the race with the Portland oarsman is disposed of.

The annual regatta of the New England Rowing Association will take place on Tuesday, June 15th, on Charles river. The regatta will consist of two and three mile scull races, the latter for four oared boats, and will be the first for the championship of the Charles river, and the last for prizes.

A first class shell, single scull, costs about $150 00.

The *Army and Navy Journal*, in answer to a correspondent, says: That Brown ever rowed five miles in 34 min. 28¼ sec., or any other man, we do not believe, unless he had the benefit of some extraordinary tide or current. The fact that he beat Coulter nearly a minute, is evidence that he was rowing too easily to make any such time. We believe the course to have been incorrectly staked off. If we remember rightly, shortly after this race Tyler offered to wager $1,000 that Brown could not row two miles on the Charles river course in 14 minutes, which was not accepted.

The same paper says they have no information that Brown intends to row the champion of England, but avers that Renforth, the present champion will accept the challenge of anybody, if sent to *Bell's Life*, to row from Putney to Mortlake for the championship of the world. "Business" is his motto.

Body Identified.

We have already reported the finding of the body of an unknown woman in the Monongahela river, opposite Birmingham. Coroner Clawson, on Sunday, investigated the case, when it was ascertained that deceased was a German woman, about fifty-four years of age and named Weilhelma Breisel. She had come to this country last September, and was living with her son, John Breisel, in Birmingham, up to the time of her death. It appears that she had been laboring under a partial derangement for some time, and some weeks since had left her son's residence and was hurrying toward the river, when overtaken and brought back by her son. At half-past one o'clock last Monday morning Mr. Breisel returned home and found his mother in bed. At six o'clock she had disappeared. Search was made for her, but was ineffectual. She was advertised in the papers, but nothing was seen of her until her body was found on Saturday. The jury found a verdict of death from drowning—the result of insanity.

MR. TETEDOUX'S CONCERT.—Tickets for Mr. Tetedoux's concert, which is to take place at Liberty Hall on Thursday next, June 3d, will be for sale to-morrow at the drug store of Mr. McClaran, in East Liberty, and at Mr. Mellor's music store, in Pittsburgh. The programme of the evening will also be found in both places.

Co-Operative Life Insurance.

MANHATTAN CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION.—This moribund child of life insurance is already defunct, and the parties who disregarded the claims of legitimate life companies, and invested in it, have the consolation of knowing that "a fool and his money are soon parted." It succeeded in obtaining a charter from the Legislature, but that did not save it from an early death. We announced some time since that the promoters of this scheme were trying to raise a capital of $100,000, but they failed. The Republic Life of Chicago, a similar co-operative delusion, has assumed the risks of the Manhattan, and has secured a good sized white elephant by the operation. The receipts from the premiums and initiation fees of the Manhattan took the regular course in all such companies, and were quietly absorbed in the salaries and expenses of the officers.—*From the Insurance Times.*

The Munson Lightning Rod.

On the 29th of April, the Hamilton House Stables, in Waynesburg, Pa., were struck by lightning and consumed, together with one or two horses and much other valuable property. It is a fact that the Munson copper rod, manufactured by Lockhart & Co., 24 Penn street, Pittsburgh, is a perfect protection against disaster by lightning.

DIED.

ANDERSON—On Sunday, 30th of May, 1869, JAMES L. ANDERSON, of the firm of Anderson & Bro., aged thirty three years.

Funeral THIS AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 7 Water street, Allegheny. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

BARKER—Sunday morning, May 30, 1869, at his residence, No. 70 Smithfield street, WILLIAM BARKER, SR., aged seventy-four years.

Funeral WEDNESDAY, June 2, at 2½ P. M. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

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WANTED.

WANTED—FOUR GOOD MEN—TO take orders in the city and county for Douglas' Patent Stove Lid Holder. Also, City and County Rights for sale. For terms and samples inquire for J. S. WILSON, at Morrison & Devol's, 75 Water street, Pittsburgh. TThs

WANTED—COMPETENT MAN—A MAN capable of taking charge of a Steel Works in New York City; one posted in the management of men and who thoroughly understands his business. Address, giving references, P. O. Box 4,055 New York City.

WANTED—HELP—SEVERAL GIRLS for city and country. Several Men want Farm work and Gardening. Apply at Employment Office, No. 1 St. Clair street.

WANTED—SITUATION—BY A MAN OF long experience in a Pittsburgh manufacturing establishment, a situation either as Bookkeeper or to make himself more actively useful. Best of city references given as to character and ability. Address A. B., Postoffice Box 209, Pittsburgh.

WANTED—MONEY—FROM $40,000 to $60,000 on first-class Mortgages. Apply at Office of Cash Insurance Co., Phelan's Building, Fifth avenue.

WANTED—TO MAKE AN ARRANGEMENT with a good Man who wishes to make money and can give references, to take charge of the manufacturing and selling a new article used by everybody. Address "C. T.," Commercial office, and state where an interview can be had.

WANTED—CHARCOAL—WE ARE prepared to receive proposals for the delivery at our Works of 100,000 Bushels Charcoal, in lots to suit the convenience of those wishing to contract. Address or apply to SINGER, NIMICK & CO., Sheffield Steel Works, 83 Water street.

WANTED—INFORMATION—OF LETTINGS for the Building of Iron Bridges, being prepared to contract for the Building of "Post's Patent Truss Bridge" for Wagon and Railroad use, of any required dimensions. Address W. B. BECKWITH, Franklin, Pa.

WANTED—GIRL—IN A SMALL FAMILY, at East Liberty. Must come recommended from last place of employment, and understand general housework. Apply at Commercial office, between 9 and 10 o'clock A. M.

WANTED—SAFE—A SMALL SAFE. Address, stating size and price, Box A, Commercial office.

WANTED—SITUATION—BY A YOUNG Lady, in a Trimming or Dry Goods Store. Address Box K, this office.

WANTED—TO INVEST—A GENTLEMAN having a few thousand dollars wishes to invest in Mortgages. Address G. H., Commercial. tf

WANTED—SALESMAN—AN EXPERIENCED Salesman and two Young Men with good address. Apply to J. J. McCORMICK, 108 Smithfield street. tf

WANTED—MORTGAGES—IN SUMS ranging from $2,000 to $20,000. Must be good security. Address Mortgage, Commercial office.

WANTED—CITY AND COUNTRY Dealers to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere, at W. M. GORMLY'S, 271 Liberty street.

WANTED--AGENTS.

WANTED—AGENTS—A $5 00 GREENBACK of full value sent free to any Book Agent. Agents wanted for Matthew Hale Smith's new Book, "Sunshine and Shadow in New York," a work replete with Anecdotes and Incidents of Life in the Great Metropolis, being a mirror of New York, reflecting the Secrets of the Great City. One Agent sold 80 in one day, another sold and delivered 227 in 15 days, another 304 in 7 days. No book ever published that sells so rapidly. J. B. STEWART, Superintendent, New Wilmington, Pa.

WANTED--HOUSES.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—A HOUSE and Lot or Lots, near Shady Side Station. Address, stating locality, terms, &c., L., Commercial office.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND DRY GOODS STORE—With good business; about 22 miles from city. Apply to G. ALBREE, SON & CO., corner Fourth avenue and Wood street. TThs

FOR SALE—MILL—A GOOD CUSTOM and Merchant Mill. Houses and Land will be sold low. Address JOHN COLTON, Limaville, Stark county, Ohio.

LOST.

LOST—POCKETBOOK—ON FRIDAY afternoon, about half-past 12 o'clock, in car No. 43, Troy Hill Passenger Railway, or on St. Clair street, a Ladies' Russian Leather Pocketbook, containing from $28 to $30. Also some Cards with owners' name on. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

27. 10 GOOD AGENTS TO SELL ON Salary.
15 Men for Connellsville Railroad; transportation furnished.
A Medical Man to purchase a country practice.
A Boy to learn the Tin business; must have some experience.
5 Farm Hands—Wages, $20 and $25 per month.
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20 for work in a foundry.
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2 Boys to work in brickyard for off-bearers.
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Help of all kinds furnished.
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Those in the country desiring information in regard to Situations should inclose 25 cents in letters.
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BOARDING—AN ELEGANT SECOND story front Room, with Boarding, at 325 Penn street.

BOARDING—ROOMS FURNISHED OR unfurnished. Also, Day Boarders accommodated, at 157 Fourth avenue.

BOARDING—A FAMILY OF FIVE, youngest 8, want boarding in East Liberty. Address box 539 Pittsburgh.

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PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—MESSRS. HARTLEY, McKEE & CO., No. 38 Smithfield street Manufacture the only Pure Oak-Tanned Leather Belts and Hose made in this city.

PERSONAL—KNOW ALL PERSONS BY this notice that the "Pittsburgh Real Estate Register" contains descriptions of over $1,000,000 worth of all kinds of property, in such a vast selection that the most fastidious cannot fail to get suited in a home. It is given away gratis, or will be sent by mail free to any address. CROFT & PHILLIPS, Publishers and Real Estate Agents, No. 139 Fourth avenue. tf

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BEEF TONGUES—EXTRA CINCINNATI S. C. Beef Tongues, in store and for sale by F. SELLERS & CO., corner Penn and Tenth streets.

150 BBLS SYRUPS, ALL GRADES, low for cash, for sale by W. M. GORMLY, 271 Liberty street.

100 BBLS CHOICE CIDER VINEGAR for sale low by W. M. GORMLY, 271 Liberty street.

50 BOXES CUT AND DRY TOBACCO in ⅛s and ¼s, for sale by W. M. GORMLY, 271 Liberty street.

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FOR SALE—CHEAP—HORSE, BUGGY, and Harness. Can be seen at Adams Express Stable, Liberty street.

VENITIAN RED—25 BARRELS VENITIAN RED for sale by B. L. FAHNESTOCK & CO., 76 Wood street.

FOR SALE—SPONGE—INDIA RUBBER Sponge at Chas. Abel & Co's Apothecary, No. 172 Wylie street.

FOR SALE—CAPS—A LARGE STOCK of Caps for the Spring Trade, at R. H. PALMER'S, No. 84 Wood street.

FOR SALE—RUBBER BELTING AND HOSE—India Rubber Belting and Hose of all sizes and descriptions. Also, Gum Packing at Eastern prices. HARTLEY, McKEE & CO., 38 Smithfield street. M

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FOR SALE—HEATER—ONE OF THE celebrated Nicholson Heaters, with a No. 3 injector, has been used but a short time. Apply to WM. B. SCAIFE, 119 and 121 First avenue.

FOR SALE—SEWING MACHINE—A Grover & Baker Sewing Machine. Will be sold cheap for cash. Address W., Box 2, Commercial office.

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FOR SALE—SOAP—BROWN WINDSOR, Elder Flower, Honey and Glycerine Soaps, at C. ABEL & CO.'S, No. 172 Wylie street.

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FOR RENT—ROOM—A FURNISHED Front Room, for one or more Gentlemen. Apply at 33 Ninth street (formerly Hand street.)

FOR RENT—STOREROOM—A STORE-ROOM in the central part of East Liberty. Rent low. Inquire of JOS. H. HILL, National Bank of Commerce.

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FOR RENT—OFFICES—OVER HERBST Ordinary, suitable for Insurance or Brokers' Offices. Excellent light, with all modern conveniences. Apply to JAMES T. BRADY & CO., corner Fourth and Wood streets. tf

FOR RENT—DWELLING—A TWO-STORY Brick Dwelling House, containing 7 Rooms and finished Attic, all modern improvements, on Center avenue, adjoining the residence of W. A. Gildenfenney. Inquire of HENRY MINER, Nos. 71 and 73 Fifth avenue. tf

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FOR SALE--REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—LAND—125 ACRES IMPROVED Land, with House, Barn and Stable, in sight of Butler, on Western Pennsylvania Railroad; is underlaid with Coal; has a good water power and a quarry of good Building Stone. Price, $40 per Acre. Inquire of SIMEON NIXON, Real Estate Agent, Butler, Pa.

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PITTSBURGH, May 31, 1869.

TO DAVID KIRK, ESQ.

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Very respectfully yours,

Wm. Frew,
James A. Hutchison,
Dilworth Brothers,
James O'Hara,
Waring, Lang & Co.,
H. M. Long & Co.,
W. P. Logan,
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Joseph Fleming,
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Pittsburgh, May 31, 1869.

To Messrs. Frew, Hutchison, Dilworth, O'Hara, Long, Logan, Waring, Fleming, Kirkpatrick and others.

Gentlemen: Your very flattering call this moment received, and in reply I would say I have been elected as a delegate to the Convention to which you refer, instructed to do my best to select, as standard bearers, men who would not do no honor to and elevate the character of the Republican party, but would at the same time represent the great Manufacturing and Commercial interests of our county, and I fear that my own nomination would not be complying with the requirements of this platform. If, however, you think otherwise, my name is at your service, and if nominated and elected I will endeavor to act to the best of my ability. Yours, respectfully,

DAVID KIRK.

Produce Market Report.
CORRECTED WEEKLY,
Expressly for Shippers and Dealers,
BY
Morrison & Devol,
General Commission Merchants,
75 WATER STREET.

PITTSBURGH, TUESDAY, June 1, 1869.

Review of the Market.

No feature calling for particular mention has presented itself during the past week's business. In some branches more activity has prevailed than was felt the week previous. The General Produce Market continues unnoticeable to any extent as regards fluctuation in prices.

Breadstuffs have continued dull, with prices generally favoring buyers. Rye inactive. Barley quiet and nominal. Corn unchanged. Oats inactive. Butter heavy. Eggs firm.

Our quotations are as follows, which are from store, unless otherwise noted:

APPLES—Season almost over; demand light. We omit quotations.

APPLE BUTTER—Unchanged, 90, 95c to $1 00.

BUTTER—The receipts have continued liberal, the demand good, though not sufficient to prevent some accumulation of poor grades. Shippers should be more careful in the manner of packing butter for market. Butter of all grades heaved into boxes, barrels and pails only part full, becomes by the time it reaches market one conglomerated mass of grease, and can only be sold for such. We would advise for this season of the year solid packed, uniform in color, in tubs and firkins of 50 or 60 lbs. It can then be sold for market rates. "Fine" boxes should never be used for packing Butter. We quote choice yellow, 24 to 25c; fair to good, 20 to 22c; mixed lots and grease, 15 to 18c.

BEANS—The dullness noted in our last still continues, with only a light demand. Choice Navy, $2 50 to $2 75; medium, $2 25 to $2 40; common and split, $1 75 to $2 00.

BACON, LARD, &c.—A firm feeling has prevailed for several days, still prices are without decided change. The season for uncanvassed Hams is about over, and we omit quotations. Mess Pork, $32 00; S. C. Hams, canvassed, 19 to 20c; Plain Canvassed Hams, 18 to 19c; S. C. Shoulders, 15c; Plain Shoulders, 14c; Clear Sides, 17c; Ribbed Sides, 16 to 16½c; canvassed Dried Beef, 21c. Lard in tierces, 19 to 19½c; jars and buckets 20c. City rendered Tallow, 10 to 11c; country 10½c.

CORN MEAL—Kiln dried, $3 75 to $4 00 ₶ bbl of 4 bush, $5 to 90c ₶ bush; unbolted, $1 30 to $1 60 ₶ 100 lbs. Corn Chop $1 40 to $1 50 ₶ 100 lbs.

CHEESE—Receipts of new still increasing and prices a shade lower. Goshen, 19½ to 20½c; Western Reserve, 16 to 16½c; Factory, 17 to 17½c.

EGGS—Receipts continue to run light; demand good; should receipts open up, liberal prices will decline. Warranted fresh, best brands, 18c.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples continue scarce and unchanged, at 14 to 15c for choice. Peaches dull and a shade easier; choice halves, 18c; quarters, 13 to 14c; quarters and halves mixed, 14½ to 15½c.

FLOUR—Market remains unsettled. Choice Spring, $7 00 to $7 25; all Winter Wheat, $7 25 to $8 00; Rye Flour $6 25 to $6 50.

GRAIN—Favorable reports from [illegible] all parts of the [illegible] growing crops in splendid condition, and the tenor of the markets east and west are of such a nature as not to indicate a rise in grain, as is usual at this period of the year. We quote Red Winter Wheat heavy and inactive, at $1 40 to $1 45. Oats in moderate demand and unchanged, at 67 to 68c on track; 72 to 75c from store. Ear Corn from store, 80c; Shelled Corn from track, yellow, 76 to 78c; white, 75c. Spring and Fall Barley unchanged, $1 60 to $1 70. Rye remains $1 30 to $1 35.

HAY—Prime Timothy on wharf, $23 00 to $25 00; store, $26 00 to $27 00.

HOMINY—$5 00 to $6 25 ₶ bbl; $3 ₶ [illegible]

POTATOES—The market continues a perfect glut, and prices weak and low, yet with this they cannot be [illegible] moved with rapidity. We quote P. B. on wharf, [illegible] $1 25 to $1 35; from store, $1 40 to $1 50, [illegible] condition and size of barrel. In bulk and sacks, 45 to [illegible]

POULTRY—Spring Chickens, 60c ₶ pair by the coop.

SEEDS—The season for Clover and Timothy Seed is over, and we omit quotations. Flax Seed $2 10 to $2 15.

SORGHUM—Market dull and nominal; choice 62 to 65c; good to clear, 50 to 55c; dark and burnt, 30 to 35c.

SUNDRIES—Sweet Cider, $8 00 to $9 00, as to size of barrel; Cider Vinegar, 22 to 24c; Beeswax, 40c; Mixed Rags, 4¼ to 4½c; Country Soap, 6c; Peanuts, 9 to 10c; Southern Pecans, 16 to 17c; Western, 14 to 15c; Live Geese Feathers, 80 to 85c; Honey, 35 to 40c; Maple Syrup, $1 50 to $1 60; Maple Sugar, lump, 19 to 20c; crushed, 15 to 16c.

NOTICE TO BUYERS.

In Store and for sale on consignment, large lot of P. B. Potatoes; choice, medium and inferior Sorghum Syrup; cold-bolted kiln dried Corn Meal, warranted all Winter Wheat Flour; Corn, Oats, Rye; prime Navy and medium Beans, Dried Apples, Dried Peaches, S. C. Hams, S. C. Plain Shoulders, Maple Syrup and Sugar, choice Western Reserve Gilt Edge Butter, and Fresh Eggs, received daily by express.

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The Daily Commercial.

TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1869.

A LARGE body of our business community have brought out for the Legislature DAVID KIRK, Esq., and his name will be presented to the Convention to-day, backed by an influence which ought to render his nomination certain. Mr. KIRK is one of our leading oil merchants, a citizen of unimpeachable integrity, large intelligence and great energy of character; and is thoroughly in sympathy with the spirit of progress. His nomination would be honorable to the Convention, and a gratifying step toward reform.

THE people at the primary elections last Saturday, in almost every district where the issue was was made, pronounced unmistakably in favor of legislative reform, and the corruptionists of last winter will be rebuked in the convention to-day, if popular sentiment controls its action. But we warn the delegates there is danger of combinations by which some of the most obnoxious men on the list of candidates may be nominated. We do not err in saying that this species of trading will not go down with the honest masses. If the managers doubt our word we refer them to the charter election of 1867, when an opposition candidate carried every ward in this Republican city. History repeats itself. Like causes produce like results. The people who thus acted eighteen months ago, have very likely the same opinion now as then, on the abstract right or wrong of these political "dickers."

IF there is a particle of honorable State pride in the minds of the delegates to the Legislative Convention to-day, they will do their share of the work in rescuing Pennsylvania from the stigma that rests upon her, as having the most corrupt Legislature in the Union. In every other county of the State the same fight is being made, and we believe it will be generally successful—that the rings will be discomfited, and the Republican party will emerge from the ordeal strengthened and purified. To continue on in the old course is to weaken the party and pave the way for its defeat. An indorsement of the corruptionists of the last Legislature will lose us several thousand votes in Allegheny county alone, and very likely a sufficient number to give the State to the Democrats, and defeat Judge WILLIAMS's election to the Supreme Bench. This is plain talk, but it is honest, and it is proper the delegates should be made aware of the responsibility that rests upon them for their action to-day. They may make such nominations as will strengthen our State ticket, but by allowing themselves to be duped by combinations into improper selections of candidates, they will strike a harder blow at the Republican party of the State than it is possible for its avowed enemies to give.

THE adoption of a resolution on the subject of special legislation will properly come within the duties of the Legislative Convention to-day. A commencement must be made some time to cut off this monstrous evil, and there is no better time than the present, and no better place to speak out with effect than in a Republican Convention of Allegheny county. Let us have a system of general laws and a constitutional amendment prohibiting special legislation, and the atmosphere of Harrisburg, as well as the political morals of the State, will be improved beyond what many now think to be within the range of possibilities. Four-fifths of the legislation perfected every winter at Harrisburg relates to subjects that could be as well disposed of by local tribunals. Let any one who has doubts on this subject examine the sixteen hundred pages of laws passed at the session of 1868. It is a bulky argument, but an effective one. It is idle to talk of legislative reform unless the temptation that attracts the lobby to the State Capital is removed. This temptation is special legislation. It is what pays the legislative borers, corrupts the members and disgraces the State. The remedy is simple, practicable at an early day, and sweeping. We hope, therefore, the Republicans of Allegheny county, earnest on the question of reform, will take the initiative in a movement to amend the Constitution of the State, by the incorporation of a provision forbidding special grants of power when the same result can be attained by a general law.

THE UNEXPENDED BALANCE.

The average monthly balance in the State Treasury during the year 1867, was $3,582,214. Last year—1868—the balance was not so great, the monthly average being *only* $2,307,000. This year the balance will probably reach the high figures of 1867. Let us see what it is possible for a smart financier to do with this money. Certainly one-half of it, or say two millions out of three and a half, could be made to pay, and if it was at the moderate rate of six per cent., it would realize *one hundred and twenty thousand dollars*; but if the guardian of the money was disposed to be exorbitant in his charges he might raise the rate of interest to ten per cent., and pocket two hundred thousand dollars, and this, too, upon one half of the actual average balance in the State Treasury, while the remaining half could be left on deposit with favorite banks, or banks controlled by men who helped elect the Treasurer. We do not say this is being done, but we do maintain that it is possible under our wretched system in this State of caring for the public money. And if the present State Treasurer avails himself of the opportunities of his place, he will do no worse than did State Treasurer MAGRAW in Democratic times, or State Treasurer KEMBLE under a Republican administration. The point we make in regard to the "unexpended balance" has no connection with the personality of the occupant of the office. The temptation held out to the Treasurer to speculate with the money of the State should not be possible. That the Treasurers for years past have done this thing, no one denies, and that the "unexpended balance" has formed the basis of a vast corruption fund—controlling conventions, legislatures and elections—is as clear as any apparent fact. The remedy suggests itself to every good citizen. The State should have the benefit of this fund, and it should be used to relax the burthens placed upon the taxpayers. Either let the "unexpended balance" be invested by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in the State bonds, whereby the interest will be saved, or let the taxes be lightened so that the balance in the treasury may be kept down to the very lowest notch, compatible with the financial credit of the State.

THE London *Mining Journal* says it is understood that Mr. Bessemer has signified his willingness to reduce his royalties from £2 to 2s. 6d. per ton, except for steel rails, for which a rebate of 20s. per ton is already allowed. Ordinary Bessemer steel will thus be reduced nearly £2 per ton, and rails about £1 10s. This will remove all inducements which might otherwise exist to infringe the patent rights remaining to Mr. Bessemer after the expiration of his principal patents in the course of next year, and at the same time will give an impetus to the steel rail trade, by permitting the steel rails to be sold in the market at a price but little higher than that of iron. If the Heaton process should solve the question of converting cheap pig iron into steel, iron rails may probably be entirely displaced.

MR. GEORGE WILSON informs the public that he "dismisses the COMMERCIAL as unworthy of further notice." That is just what the public have done with him, and we are sorry that he feels so badly about it. He says further that we are an "adventurer among us," assuming "to control the affairs of the county." This is a tremendous thrust from the gentleman's sharpest lance; and we might feel hurt by it, but for the success which thus far has attended our efforts, particularly so far as he is concerned.

THE Wheeling papers estimate the loss by the recent hail storm in that vicinity at from $200,000 to $250,000. One vineyard, valued at $10,000, was totally ruined, and some half dozen others were badly injured. Seven persons were very severely injured by the descending hail, and in two instances, at last accounts, it was thought the injuries would prove fatal.

RUMORS allege that it required some rather expert counting to elect the delegates returned—especially those to the Legislative Convention—from the Second ward. Persons who were at the polls throughout the time of voting, assure us that there is no manner of doubt that the figuring after the voting was over was of the most approved description.

THE Chicago papers, in response to a request of leading business houses and citizens, entered into an agreement not to publish the internal revenue returns for the current year. The Collector there, according to the *Journal*, "was instructed to publish the list as an advertisement, if he could not have it done in any other way."

MANUFACTURING AND SHOP NOTES.

Facts in Brief and Descriptions at a Glance.

Unless we are very much mistaken, the signs indicate that ere long the saw will be displaced by the disc in our rolling mills. Girders for bridges, and various other purposes are now cut into lengths, cold, with a round disc instead of being sawed off in the old manner. We *say* old, because the introduction of the disc places the saw among the things of the past. By cutting large pieces of iron with the disc, a great advantage is secured over the old method of sawing the iron while hot, as the manufacturer is enabled by the disc to fill orders for any length from the stock on hand, a new feature in the business. The disc makes two thousand revolutions per minute, is about thirty-six inches in diameter, and is so simple in construction that it can be operated without skilled labor. It makes a clean cut, and is, as we said before, a vast improvement over the saw now in general use.

Railroad chairs are rapidly going out of use as a means of fastening the ends of rails. Fish-bars, which are used in their stead, have become a common order with several of our rolling mills. The single lip chair, which, by the way, is a Pittsburgh invention, is universally admitted to be a great improvement on the double lipped chair. Still, the demand for fish-bars is increasing daily. The manufacture of these has become an important item in the iron trade. Those of our mills engaged in the manufacture of fish-bars also fit them complete with bolts ready fitted in the holes made to receive them. Formerly the punching machines employed to punch the holes in the bars made but two holes; now they make four. The making of fish-bars furnishes employment to a large number of hands.

Angle iron, used extensively for architectural purposes, in bridge building, also in tanks, steam boilers, &c., is now made by rolls similar to ordinary bar rolls. In making angle iron by the improved plan, the bar, after it is rolled through three grooves, (which really do all the work) is then passed through a finishing groove, which bends it to the required shapes for the various purposes to which angle iron is applied. As the "pile" enters the grooves of the improved rolls flat, not diagonally or cornerwise, as in the old way, the iron has both sides of equal strength. Some of our city mills have made large quantities of angle iron by this new plan, which makes the edges of the bar square, solid and smooth. All the angle iron used in the construction of the new iron bridge for the P., F. W. & C. R. R., over the Allegheny river is made in the above manner.

The Work Laid Out for the Indian Commission.

The COMMERCIAL has published a brief account of the meeting of the Indian Commission at Washington last week. Mr. Walsh, of Philadelphia, was made Chairman of the Commission, and Mr. Brunot, of Pittsburgh, Secretary. A comprehensive letter of General Parker, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, came before the Commission, in which the following suggestions were made as desirable subjects of inquiry by the members during their visits to the Indian country:

"A determination or settlement of what should be the legal *status* of the Indians; a definition of their rights and obligations under the laws of the United States, of the States and Territories and treaty stipulations; whether any more treaties shall be stipulated with the Indians, and if not, what legislation is necessary for those with whom there are existing treaty stipulations, and what for those with whom no such stipulations exist; should the Indians be placed upon reservations, and what is the best method to accomplish this object; should not legislation discriminate between the civilized and localized Indians and the united roving tribes of the plains and mountains; what changes are necessary in existing laws relating to purchasing goods and provisions for the Indians, in order to prevent fraud, &c.; should any change be made in the method of paying the money annuities, and if so, what. Great mischief, evils, and frequently serious results follow from friendly Indians leaving the reservations, producing conflicts between the citizens, soldiers and Indians. At what time and point shall the civil rule cease and the military begin? Is any change required in the intercourse laws by reason of the present and changed condition of the country?"

This opens up a pretty wide field of investigation, and the gentlemen of the Commission will probably have their hands full. But in addition General Parker desires a report on the condition and wants of the wild and roving tribes. The views of the Commissioner as embodied in his letter were acquiesced in, and the Commission divided the entire country occupied by Indians into three grand divisions, and sub-committees were appointed to visit and examine the condition of affairs, and report at a meeting to be held in Washington prior to the next meeting of Congress. Mr. Brunot, of Pittsburgh, is named first on the sub-committee to examine into the condition of the Southern Indians, which includes all in and south of Kansas, and east of the Colorado river in New Mexico.

Russian Attention to the European "Sick Man."

The report is current in Europe that the Emperor Alexander has decreed the removal of the capital of the Russian Empire from St. Petersburg to Kiev, on the river Dnieper. A palace is now building for him at the latter place, and the Empress has purchased a large estate there. This would seem to be a formal announcement to the world that the designs of Russia upon Turkey are henceforth to be steadily and unrelentingly pursued. Kiev is 670 miles nearer Constantinople than St. Petersburg; it is within 300 miles of the port of Odessa, on the Black Sea; and, by the aid of the railroads built and soon to be built, it is a point upon which, in the shortest space of time, the whole military force of Russia can be concentrated, ready to march immediately upon either the Turkish or the Hungarian frontier. The selection of Kiev is important in another point of view. It is the great religious metropolis of Russia. Before the conversion of the people to Christianity it was the seat of their heathen worship. Within its precincts are the palace of the Greek Bishop, the venerable cathedral of St. Sophia, founded in 1037, and numerous other churches, the catacombs of St. Anthony and St. Theodosius, filled with the bones of Christian saints and martyrs, and a thousand other objects of religious respect to the devout Russian.

THE Tartar the Memphis Convention people caught in Sprague, on the subject of free trade, inclines us to forgive some of the mental peculiarities of the Rhode Island Senator. "Free trade," he declared to the Convention, "means the free demands of capital. It means the closing of every workshop, of every factory, of driving every ship from the sea, and steamer from our rivers. It means transferring to the flag of Great Britain and France and Germany the transportation of produce. They will be on your rivers and carry your produce from landing to landing. They will do it because they can do it cheaper than we. Carry out that principle, and you might as well give up your railroad bonds, your State stocks, as you have already given up your best lands to the people of foreign countries. The largest portion of the national debt would be transferred to foreign nations. I hold that such a course would be contrary to good sense."

CONNECTICUT may be the land of steady habits, but it is undoubtedly the State of unreliable matrimony. There were granted last year in Connecticut an alarming number of divorces, surpassing, with the exception of 1866, any year since 1860, in which returns of divorces in that State were first made. There have been 478 divorces granted in 1868, or *one* divorce in every *nine* marriages. Of these 478, 160 were granted at the instance of husband petitioners, and 318 at the instance of wives. The causes of these divorces are various; but, as the State Librarian, who has compiled the statistics, says the causes assigned are not at all reliable. Criminal conversation does not stand highest in the list of causes, but its place is occupied by "misconduct," whatever that specifies, and by desertion.

A joke was perpetrated a few days since upon Judge Barker, who was presiding over the Supreme Court, in session at Lockport, N. Y. A juryman was absent from his seat, all the others being occupied. A dog looking for the master very quietly took the vacant place. The Judge, addressing Hon. A. P. Lanning, of Buffalo, said: "You see, Mr. Lanning, that the jurymen's seats are all occupied. Are you ready to proceed?" The distinguished pleader raised his glasses to his eyes, and after a brief survey of the jury box, made the witty reply: "Your Honor, that fellow might do for a judge, but I should hate to trust him for a juryman." The good-natured Judge joined heartily in the merry laugh that followed, and proved that he could take as well as give a joke.

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a commendable order to the effect that no person employed by the Government shall receive presents from merchants or importers. If strictly enforced, this rule will prove a great relief to the mercantile community of the Eastern cities. Merchants now pay heavy assessments if they want their business promptly dispatched at the Custom House. Obstacles are thrown in their way which are only removed by giving presents. The income of many of the subordinate clerks is much greater from this source than that of Deputy Collectors. Of course it is nothing but bribery, and should be suppressed.

CONGRESSMAN STOKES, of Tennessee, who is disputing with Senator, (another Republican and acting Governor,) has arrived in Washington. He says the Republicans throughout the country need have no fear of the success of the party in the coming State election. The recent Convention was composed of 327 delegates, of whom 233 declared for him for Governor. The Convention adjourned, however, without making a nomination. Stokes was afterward nominated by the 233 delegates and Senter by the remainder. All kinds of compromises were offered, but neither party would yield. Mr. Stokes says he can be elected easily, but should there appear any doubt of the success of the Republican party a satisfactory compromise will be effected.

AN educational map has recently been issued, in which the relative extent and efficiency of the primary education of European countries are marked out. They rank as follows: Saxony, Switzerland, small States of North Germany, Denmark, Prussia, Sweden, Baden, Wurtemberg, Holland, Norway, Bavaria, France, Belgium, England, Italy, Austria, Greece, Papal States, Spain, Portugal, Waldo-Wallachia, Russia, Turkey. Had the United States been included, we probably should have ranked, in the matter of elementary education, between France and Belgium, while in any list based on technological education we would rank probably very low down on the list.

ST. LOUIS proposes the purchase of a tug boat to be fitted up as a fire engine, for the protection of the steamboats at that place from fire. The boat is to be anchored in the stream at night, and never leave the harbor at any time, and is to be in the hands of cool, experienced men.

GENERAL AND PARTICULAR.

At the annual meeting of the Hicksite Quakers, in New York, the subject of the arbitration of all international disputes was discussed. Daniel Hill, of Ohio, said that 14,000,000,000 lives had perished by war since the creation of the world—an average of 2,000,000 annually, or 6,000 per day.

Fifteen hundred peach trees, in full blossom, in the orchards of Martin Green, at Benton Harbor, Michigan, were discovered one morning last week to have been girdled during the night. It is hoped to repair damages on many, perhaps half of the trees, but the loss is at least $2,000. Rewards of $1,500 are offered.

The New York *Times* prophesies that all the churches below Union square must go into the market, and in a few years the entire space between that square and the Battery, two miles extent, will be denuded of all symbols of worship, with perhaps one exception—Trinity Church.

A citizen of Washington county, Texas, states that the best specimens of saddle and harness horses sell in that State for $50 per head. A few days before leaving home he sold a splendid animal for $45. They could be had in the greatest profusion for from $5 to $50. Here it is a poor specimen of horse flesh which will not bring $150. A good working horse is valued at $200, while an animal of any speed commands from $400 upward.

An important real estate suit is pending in the Superior Court of Chicago, involving property in Cook, Du Page and Will counties, valued at $1,500,000. The case is entitled Sarah B. Satterlee and George B. Satterlee against Wm. B. Ogden and a large number of other defendants. It is a bill to declare void a sale under a certain trust deed, and for conveyance of complainants' interest in the property.

A schoolmistress in Porter county, Indiana, construing physical punishment literally, gave a tremendous cathartic to a refractory pupil a few days since.

Rochester women have successfully combined to restrain prostitution by women and licentiousness by men in that city. After appealing to brothel keepers to report the names of their patrons, and receiving the appaling reply that the applicants would, if the request was assented to, have to hear the names of their husbands, brothers and even their fathers, the female reformers retired and established a system of espionage over the houses of ill-fame. This had the desired effect, and a reformation was the result.

"Ten thousand spectators" at the public execution of a negro at Frederick, Maryland, on Friday last, is enough in itself without any comment.

The editor of the Norfolk (Va.) *Journal* has recently seen a quart of strawberries which weighed one and three quarter pounds. Fifteen berries made the quart, and each measured over three inches and a half in circumference.

As a total solar eclipse is not very often seen from any part of the earth, one for a particular locality is extremely rare. Thus a total solar eclipse was visible in London on May 3, 1715; the one before that period was March 20, 1140. The eclipse of August 7, 1869, will be very large, but not total in Pittsburgh; yet, as it will pass over a large portion of the United States and Territories, nothing like it will be seen for very many years. It will be total at noon near Mount St. Elias for a period of four minutes; near Des Moines, Iowa, three minutes, and a little south of Raleigh, S. C., two minutes and twenty-seven seconds.

Indiana is becoming important as a tobacco producing State. The soil is well adapted to its growth, particularly in the counties of Washington, Orange, Dubois, Greene, Davis, Martin, Gibson, Warwick, Pike, Knox, Spencer, Perry, Crawford and Harrison, where it is cultivated upon almost every farm. At the little town of Huntington, in Dubois county, there are four extensive tobacco stemmeries, from which were shipped the past year seven hundred hogsheads of tobacco, valued at $350,000.

PERSONAL.

Commodore Meade, whose imprisonment in the Bloomingdale (N. Y.) Lunatic Asylum, created considerable excitement some months ago, has begun a suit against Charles A. Meigs and Benjamin F. Corlies for false imprisonment, laying his damages at $200,000. These gentlemen now have an opportunity of proving their charges that the gallant old Commodore is is insane.

Don Piatt says as a journalist he is in duty bound to hate Fisk, Jr., but still he is "forced to say that under his management the Erie and Atlantic and Great Western have come to be the pleasantest, quickest, and safest line from New York to Cincinnati." With all Fisk's nonsense and pretension, he seems to have improved the Erie road not only on the stock board, but what is more important, on the line itself.

Mrs. Frame is a Quaker revivalist, who is creating a great religious excitement in Indiana. She is described as tall, graceful, and commanding in appearance, with a voice full of music that can enchain and melt into tears an audience. Originally a Methodist, she joined the Society of Friends because she conceived she had a mission to perform in the ministry that could be more successfully accomplished in membership with that Society than any other. Her success has been remarkable. Presbyterian and Methodist are now vieing with each other for the privilege of having her services to preach to their different congregations.

Mrs. Elihu B. Washburne is spending the summer at her home in Galena, Illinois. She is a cousin of Madame Montholon, and like her descended from the French settlers of Illinois, who attained to great wealth by trading with the Indians. In common with all the French settlers of the Mississippi, she speaks fluently the dialect familiarly known as "Galena French." She will make her *debut* at the Tuileries next winter.

Gen. Ripley, late of the Confederate army, who figured recently in the Bankruptcy Court at London, was for a long time commander of the forts near Charleston, South Carolina, and was chiefly noted for having married a lady of the Middleton family, whose beauty has attracted much attention in Paris. Her sister, the widow of Count Bentivoglio, who resides in London, was conspicuous during the civil war for her zeal in the Confederate cause.

Henry Clews, the largest gold dealer in New York, made several million by the late advance.

Sir John Crampton, formerly English Minister at Washington, and lately at Madrid, has at last resigned that position. It will be remembered that he was divorced, under peculiar circumstances, from his wife, a daughter of the composer Balfe, who subsequently married a Spanish Duke. Mr. Crampton's position at the Spanish Court has not been agreeable since that time, although he retained his post until a few months ago.

Henry Ward Beecher having been accused of appropriating the records of St. Nicholas Episcopal church, Charleston, South Carolina, denies the story that he took "anything from Saint Nicholas, or from any other Saint's church." He confesses, however, to one relic. "An officer of a colored regiment," he says, "brought to my house and presented to me an old family Bible, which had been saved from a burning house on some plantation in the country. I entered the facts as narrated to me on the flyleaf, thinking that after peace came the family might, perhaps, be happy to regain this venerable old book (printed in 1679.) I copy the entry *verbatim*: 'Davis's plantation, near the Middleton plantation, on Ashley river, twenty miles from Charleston, saved from burning by an old negro. Presented to H. W Beecher by Lieutenant Holland N. Bacthellor, Charleston, April 15, 1865. If the family, or any member of it desires the book, it would give me great pleasure to return it to them—none the worse, I trust, for a short sojourn north."

There is a moral in this anecdote that makes it hit about one in every twenty subscribers to a newspaper: "Many years ago Mr. Swain, then editor of the *Public Ledger*, was hailed at the corner of Eighteenth and Chestnut streets by a very excited individual, who informed him in the most excited terms, 'I have stopped your paper, sir,' and proceeded to explain why and wherefore, all the time gesticulating wildly. 'My gracious sir, you don't say so. Come with me to the office, and let us see if we cannot remedy the matter. It grieves me that any one should stop my paper.' Down Chestnut to Third they proceeded. Arriving at the office Mr. Swain said: 'Why, my dear sir, everything seems to be going on here as usual; I thought you had stopped my paper.' Then and there the excited gentleman, whom the long talk, by the way, had partly cooled, said that he had stopped taking this one copy of the *Ledger*. Mr. Swain was profuse in his apologies for having misunderstood the meaning of his late subscriber's words, and regretted that he had given him the tramp from Eighteenth street to Third, down Chestnut. The gentleman went on his way a wiser if not a better man, marveling at the stupidity of editors in general, and of Mr. Swain in particular. Before he left, however, he ordered that the *Ledger* be still sent to his address."

Boston reports that Robert Collyer cannot attend the Unitarian Anniversary there. He writes them, Collyer-like, "My new church is picking the shell, and I must stay to cluck."

In passing one village a handsome young gentleman—a Kabyle Alcibiades—in a very clean robe, accosted us in French. He was astonished that we had come seven thousand kilometres to see him! He had a very vague idea of America, but an enthusiastic admiration for the Italian girl, who is my wife's companion. He ran after our carriage several miles in an ecstacy of love at first sight. The scapegrace! He had two wives already. He said he could afford another, as the last was an orphan and only cost three hundred francs. I said: "How much do you propose for Mademoiselle?" "A thousand francs, and if you wait here I will go up the mountain for the money." We did not wait, but dashed on.—*S. S. Cox's letters from Algeria.*

A correspondent of the Missouri *Republican* has visited Miss Laura Reno, at Seymour, Ind., and says: "She is a young lady of marked intelligence and rare beauty, possesses a pure and stainless soul, and is warm hearted and affectionate—trusting, with no Punic faith, that she will make some fortunate man a good and true wife. With regard to the bloody threat of vengence on "the regulators," the correspondent asked Miss Reno if she now felt disposed to leave vengeance with God. "Yes," she answered archly, "yes; but if God needs any assistance at my hands I am quite ready to render it."

Miss Rebecca Fitch, said to belong to a wealthy New York family—young, pretty and surrounded with inducements to happiness and innocence—has already served out two terms of imprisonment in New York because of kleptomania, and she was again sentenced a day or two ago to three years in the State Prison for the same crime or madness.

At the recent wine auction at Johannesberg, Prince Metternich received very high prices for the delicious wines raised on his farm. One keg of 1868 Johannisberger was bought by Wolff, the great Frankfort liquor dealer, for 1,930 florins.

TO PRODUCE LARGE STRAWBERRIES.—Remove the soil around each hill to the depth of half an inch or more, without disturbing the roots; then spread evenly over an area of twenty inches in diameter, a pound or more of finely pulverized lin seed meal or oil meal, and cover it with mellow soil; then spread a mulching of hay or straw two inches deep over the entire surface between the hills. Should the weather be warm and dry a liberal supply of warm water daily will greatly promote the growth of both vines and berries. Pull up the weeds and grass among growing strawberries, rather than cut them up with hoes, as a system of roots is formed near the surface of the ground, which should not be injured with a broad hoe.

ANNEXATION IN NOVA SCOTIA.

Plain Talk of a Leading Halifax Paper Concerning "The Signs of the Times."

[From the Halifax Chronicle.]

Four years is a short period in the history of a nation—no very considerable period even in the existence of a man—but in the judgment of such future historian as the time may find for this country, and in the opinion of wise men, now living, the last four years, from 1865 to 1869, will be the most fruitful and important years in all the history of Nova Scotia. This province is now about entering on the last stage of colonial growth. The first stage is entire dependence, the clinging of the child to the protecting garments of the mother: the second is constitutional, or party, or responsible government, the beginning of independent thought and action, though still under protection; the last is independence, or entire freedom from control, the having of the whole world before us where to choose such things as fancy may suggest, or interest may determine. We have been through the first; we are well nigh through the second, and are in a short time to enter into the third. We shall be told, perhaps, that we are not so far through the second stage, as to justify us in considering and preparing for the third; but those who tell us so are either the wilfully blind, who close their eyes wilfully to the signs of the times, or the stupidly blind, who with closed eyes sit helpless in the darkness, waiting for the light which, perhaps, will blind and blast them when it comes. Our period of constitutional semi-freedom has passed away. It vanished with the crowing of the cock that announced the dawn of confederation. The beginning of the third stage of perfect freedom (from England if not from Canada) was announced by Mr. Huntington in the Dominion parliament last week. It is near at hand. All signs point to it, all paths lead to it. And all who have the welfare of the country at heart will do well to consider carefully the best course to be pursued in the coming time.

That England desires to get rid of the colonies is proved by the conduct of her government for some years—by the reduction of the garrisons, the carelessness with which colonial interests have been tampered with, the expressed wishes of leading statesmen, leading authors, leading newspapers. That the leading politicians of these colonies desire to be free of England, is proved pretty conclusively by the speech of Mr. Huntington, the silent acquiescence of the Dominion administration in that speech, and the tone of public opinion at Ottawa. That Nova Scotia is desirous of being free of Canada, is a matter which is proved every day beyond cavil or contradiction. That the United States is willing to receive us, is proved by the expressed opinions of the leading papers, the resolutions in Congress, the tone of public opinion, and by that most remarkable and convincing letter of Hon. R. J. Walker, to the chairman and secretary of the Nova Scotia Annexation League.

These things being as they are, the course to be pursued by Nova Scotia should be carefully considered.

Have any inducements been offered us to continue in union with Canada? We were told that our population was to increase, but it has diminished, and is diminishing. We were told that our commerce was to extend, but it has contracted within still narrower limits. We were told that the industries of the country were to be stricken with new life and activity, but they have, in fact, been smitten with palsy. The coal mines are silent; the wharves, which were to bristle with a "dusky forest" of masts, are almost departed; our agricultural laborers are leaving the land, and our fishermen are fishing in strange vessels, and going down to the sea in ships to enrich the commerce of strange nations. We were told that our taxes were not to be increased, but we give to Canada a large revenue yearly from taxes. We were told that the Dominion government would obtain for us a reciprocity treaty, but we have lately been informed by the government that they have not even made an attempt to obtain so great a boon for the country. We were told that confederation was to strengthen our connection with Great Britain; but we see Great Britain daily shaking off some part of the connecting links, and ere that babe just born has learned the use of I and me, we will probably have bidden an adieu to the last of the red-coated soldiery of Britian. What inducement has been held out to us to continue a connection which has been so ruinous? One hundred and sixty thousand dollars a year for ten years! Why, the revenue from our bills and newspapers will soon approximate to that amount, and it is to continue forever. The increased fares on the railway would soon amount to that, and they are to continue forever. What guarantee have we that no impost will be tacked to us that would in a short time give Canada far more than she is giving Nova Scotia? Clearly, then, no good inducements have been offered why we should remain in union with Canada.

We will not be hasty in choosing out a career for this country. The affairs of nations right themselves in time, under the guidance of the Almighty hand. We will not hastily, without much thought propose a new political creed to those who look to us for advice; but the time is coming, however, and coming fast, when every man in Nova Scotia will have to make up his mind, and "take sides." If the best interests of this country demand submission to Canada and confederation, and if the public desire it, we will lay down our arms and loyally fight out our destiny under the flag of the Dominion. But, if, on the other hand, the welfare of our province should certainly depend on annexation, and the people should desire it, then we should be false and craven if we would not join willing hands with all lovers of our country, in the attempt to accomplish the destiny pointed out to us by the manifest finger of God

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They would have been rejected by the public long ago, but on the contrary, though they have been before the public for upwards of thirty-seven years, the demand for them is greater to-day than ever.

Thousands of sufferers have been relieved, and many confirmed invalids have been restored to health through their instrumentality. Testimonials from the most reliable sources can be furnished by the proprietor, and all who have used them recommend them highly.

ATHENSVILLE, PA., April 21, 1869.

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Are a never-failing remedy for all diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs, such as Pains in the Small of the Back, Gravel, Dropsy, Incontinence of Urine, Strangury, Inflammation of the Kidneys, &c., &c.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, SS. At Pittsburgh, the 1st day of June, A. D., 1869. The undersigned hereby gives notice that pursuant to order of Court, a Second General Meeting of the creditors of DAVID D. YOHE, Bankrupt, will be held at the office of SAMUEL HARPER, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy in said city, on the 18th day of June, A. D. 1869, at 10 A. M., for the purposes named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt act of March 2, 1867.

JOHN H. BAILEY, Assignee,
TU Attorney-at-Law, 89 Grant street.

NOTICE.—WHEREAS, MY WIFE, —— BURBANK, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, all persons are hereby notified not to trust her on my account, as I will not be liable for any debts of her contracting after this date.

A. J. BURBANK.

Venango City, Pa., May 31st.

OFFICE OF COLLECTOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE, 22d District of Penna., Pittsburgh, No. 109 Fourth avenue, May 31, 1869.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual list of Taxes on Incomes, Carriages, Silver Plate Watches, &c., and Special Tax, are now due, and payment will be received thereon at this office, from the citizens resident in the first seventeen wards of Pittsburgh.

The foregoing Taxes must be paid before the 10TH DAY OF JUNE, 1869, otherwise additional expense will be incurred.

Deputy Collectors WM. E. HARRISON and JOHN A. SARGEANT, will receive from the taxpayers of those parts of the district not included in the above limits, and will post notices of the time when and place where they will be prepared to receive taxes collectable by them.

T. W. DAVIS,
Collector.

DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the style of the "Coal City Coal Co.," is this day dissolved by mutual consent, ROBT. B. SMITH retiring.

JOSEPH WALTON,
ROBT. B. SMITH,
PETER HABERMAN,
JOSEPH KEELING.

Pittsburgh, May 21, 1869.

THE BUSINESS OF THE ABOVE FIRM will be settled up and continued by the undersigned, at their office, No. 134 Water street, under the style of JOS. WALTON & CO.

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GREAT

National Peace Jubilee!

(Projected by Mr. P. S. Gilmore).

BOSTON,

June 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19, 1869,

TO COMMEMORATE THE RESTORATION OF

PEACE THROUGHOUT THE LAND.

This glorious event in our National History will be celebrated by the

GRANDEST MUSICAL FESTIVAL

ever known in the history of the world.

The President of the United States, Members of his Cabinet, Heads of Departments, Governors of all the States, and many other distinguished persons from all parts of the country, together with the Representatives of Foreign Governments at Washington, have been invited by the Mayor and City Council of Boston, to become the guests of the city during the Festival.

The Jubilee will be opened on TUESDAY, June 15th, with Inaugural Ceremonies, including prayer by Rev. E. E. Hale; an address by His Honor Mayor Shurtleff, welcoming all guests and visitors to Boston and to Massachusetts; and a Congratulatory Address by Hon. A. H. Rice, on the restoration of Peace and Union throughout the land.

The Inaugural Ceremonies will be followed by a

GRAND MUSICAL PERFORMANCE,

In which the

GREATEST ORATORIO CHORUS,

Ever assembled, comprising over

Eight Hundred Vocal Organizations,

Who have been in rehearsal for many months, will take part accompanied by a Grand Orchestra of

One Thousand Musicians,

Selected from the best Orchestras, Bands and Musical Associations in the United States.

The scale upon which it is proposed to carry out this Festival, will represent, in its magnitude and splendor, the greatest cause for national rejoicing that the American people have ever been called upon to celebrate—THE RESTORATION OF PEACE AND UNION THROUGHOUT THE LAND. It will bring together in fraternal greeting the leading men of the nation, and people from all parts of the land; and aside from its significance as the FIRST GRAND NATIONAL REUNION since the close of the war, it will be the GREATEST FEAST OF SUBLIME AND INSPIRING HARMONY that has ever been heard in any part of the world.

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NAIL and TOOTH BRUSHES of every style and price. Blond, Barber, Buff and Hard Rubber DRESSING COMBS.
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WM. J. SNODGRASS,

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CORNER FEDERAL AND LACOCK STREETS.

WELL OPERATORS AND BORERS WANTED.

The undersigned and associates control, by purchase and otherwise, several thousand acres of the best OIL LANDS in Venango county, Pa. They desire to let a few leases on each Farm on very favorable terms to men who are known to be thoroughly competent in every way.

Most of the Lands are located directly on the OIL BELT from Petroleum Center to Charley run, thence on the same line to Scrub Grass; and they have also some very choice Farms in the new district at Emlenton. All the above property has been purchased by the present owners who have had much experience in selecting territory and regardless of cost, so they secured what they believed to be the best located property. Parties intending to operate for Oil will do well to apply immediately to some one of the undersigned, who has authority to give Leases.

C. D. ANGELL,
Scrub Grass, Venango county, Pa.
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For Stores and Dwellings, Enamelled and

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We have also a full stock of WISCONSIN FLOURS, such as Falcon, Beaver Dam, Burr Oak, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at the lowest market rates.

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HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA.

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HARRY ALGEO,

(Late of John Stevenson & Son),

ENGRAVER,

45 SIXTH, LATE ST. CLAIR STREET,

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ATTENTION, SPORTSMEN.—WM. CRAIG, formerly of 50 Wayne, has opened a new establishment at No. 56 FEDERAL STREET, ALLEGHENY, where he will carry on the GUNSMITHING in all its branches, and also keep constantly on hand a large assortment of GUNS, PISTOLS, CARTRIDGES, AMMUNITION, &c., of every description. He will be happy to wait on his former patrons. Give him a call, at No. 56 FEDERAL STREET, Allegheny.

ASSIGNEES' NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS indebted to the late firm of

BECKHAM & LONG,

Are hereby notified to settle their accounts at once, and save cost. The creditors are requested to send in their accounts properly authenticated.

C. RUSSELL,
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3 casks Turkey Prunes;
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75 doz. Assorted Jelly;
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50 cases ¼ and ½ Sardines;
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I have a full assortment of Stonecutters' Tools on hand, comprising best Eastern Mallets; also of my own make Chissels, Droves, Mallet Points, Cast Steel Hammers, &c., &c., for sale by

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Whilst other Handles require time and care to fit them, are often split and thrown away without use, and are always liable to work loose and come off, thereby causing great annoyance and often painful wounds to the user, these Handles are free from all such objections.

They are made of four sizes, adapted to all kinds of Files, are quickly attached, readily changed from one File to another, invariably hold the File securely and straight, and are very durable.

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POLITICAL.

REPUBLICAN

COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican voters of Allegheny County are requested to meet at the usual places for holding elections in the several Wards, Boroughs and Townships, on

SATURDAY, MAY 29, 1869,

And elect Delegates from each Election District, to each of the three following Conventions, viz:

Two Delegates from each to the COUNTY CONVENTION, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Sheriff, Recorder, Register, Treasurer, Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, Clerk of the Orphans' Court and Commissioner.

Two other Delegates from each to the LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION, for the purpose of nominating one candidate for State Senator, for one year, to fill the unexpired term of Russell Errett, resigned, and six candidates for Assembly. And

Two other Delegates from each to the JUDICIAL CONVENTION, to nominate one candidate for Judge of the District Court, and one candidate for Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, and elect eight delegates to represent the county in the Republican State Convention.

These Conventions will severally meet, in the city of Pittsburgh, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 1, 1869,

At 11 o'clock A. M. at the following places:

The COUNTY CONVENTION will meet at the COURT HOUSE.

The LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION will meet at CITY HALL, on Market street. And

The JUDICIAL CONVENTION will meet in MASONIC HALL, on Fifth avenue, between Wood and Smithfield streets.

The election of De[illegible] will be held between the hours of 4 and 7 o'[illegible]M., and will be held, as far as practicable by the Republican members of the election boards in the several districts; and in those districts where the Republican election officers are a minority of the regular election boards, the said officers are authorized to appoint enough additional officers to complete the board.

The voting in the Cities and Boroughs shall, in all cases, be by ballot, and in the Townships by marking.

The President of each Convention will appoint a Committee of three, the three Committees thus appointed to meet together, as soon as practicable after the adjournment of the Conventions, and appoint a County Committee for the ensuing year.

By order of the County Committee.

RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.
JOHN H. STEWART, Secretary. d*

FOR SENATE.

GEO. H. ANDERSON,

Subject to decision of Republican County Convention.

FOR STATE SENATE.

SAMUEL B. CLULEY.

Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

FOR STATE SENATE.

THOMAS HOWARD

Will be a candidate for the office of STATE SENATOR, subject to the decision of the Republican Legislative Convention.

FOR STATE SENATE.

I would respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of STATE SENATOR, subject to the decision of the ensuing Legislative Convention.

GEORGE WILSON.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

GILBERT M. McMASTER,

FOURTEENTH WARD.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

Col. WM. ESPY,

OF SCOTT TOWNSHIP, will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Republican Legislative Convention.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

GEO. H. HOLTZMAN,

OF ROSS TOWNSHIP, will be presented to the Republican Legislative Convention, June 1st, ensuing, for nomination to represent Allegheny County in the next session of the Legislature.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

ALEXANDER MILLAR,

OF McKEESPORT. Subject to the decision of the Republican Legislative Convention.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

THE PEOPLE PRESENT THE NAME OF

JOHN CURRY,

OF MOON TOWNSHIP, as a candidate for ASSEMBLY, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.

SOMETHING TANGIBLE FOR SOLDIERS' WIDOWS AND ORPHANS.

TO THE INDEPENDENT VOTERS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY:

The undersigned, with a view of rendering the widows and orphans of the brave soldiers from Allegheny county who fell in defense of their country in the late rebellion, some substantial and permanent assistance, offers himself as a candidate at the election on the second Tuesday of October next, for the office of SHERIFF, solemnly pledging and binding himself, in case of his election, that one-half the net profits of the office shall be appropriated for the benefit of the said widows and orphans. The Judges of the Court of the County to be the trustees of the funds, under whose direction the same shall be disbursed.

J. Y. McLAUGHLIN.

Offices 96½ Fourth avenue and 325 Liberty street.

FOR SHERIFF,

JOHN H. HARE,

Will be a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR SHERIFF.

JOSEPH ROSS

Will be a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR SHERIFF.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for SHERIFF, subject to the usages of the Republican party; and if successful pledge myself to devote all my energy to an honorable and faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

H. S. FLEMING.

FOR SHERIFF.

I would respectfully announce to the citizens of Allegheny county that I am a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the next ensuing Union Republican County Convention.

FRANK DUFF,
OHIO TOWNSHIP.

FOR RECORDER.

R. A. SAMPSON,

SIXTH WARD, ALLEGHENY CITY, will be a candidate for RECORDER, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. d*

FOR RECORDER.

H. BALDWIN WIGHTMAN,

OF BALDWIN TOWNSHIP, late member of 15th Penna. or Anderson Cavalry. Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR RECORDER,

THOS. H. HUNTER,

LATE NINTH REGIMENT, PA. R. C.

FOR RECORDER.

HENRY SNIVELY,

PITTSBURGH, will be a candidate for RECORDER, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR RECORDER,

AUGUSTUS BECKERT,

ALLEGHENY CITY, late Private Fifth Excelsior Regiment. Lost a Leg in the second Bull Run Battle. Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I would respectfully announce myself a candidate for COMMISSIONER, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. If nominated and elected I pledge myself to a fearless and faithful discharge of the duties of the office regardless of fear, favor or affection, knowing no man in the discharge of my official duties.

E. O. WILLIAMS,
Late Private 62d Regiment Pa. Vols.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

ROBERT CUNNINGHAM,

OF THE SECOND WARD, will be a candidate for nomination, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. d*

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

CHAUNCEY B. BOSTWICK,

OF THE TWENTIETH WARD, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR REGISTER OF WILLS,

JOHN KEIL, Jr.,

Subject to the decision of Republican County Convention.

FOR REGISTER OF WILLS,

JOSEPH H. GRAY,

Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. TC

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,

J. F. DENNISTON,

(Late Bvt. Major U. S. Vols.), will be a candidate for renomination, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

FOR CLERK OF COURTS

JOHN G. BROWN,

MILLVALE BOROUGH, late Private Co. H, 102d Regiment Penna. Vols., subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention.

TO THE CITIZENS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY:—I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of CLERK OF COURTS, subject to the decision of the Union Republican County Convention. I would state that I ask the office but for ONE TERM, at the termination of which I would cheerfully retire, believing that there are others equally entitled to the honor and emoluments of the office, and are as competent as myself. I will be under obligations to the citizens of the county for their support.

Very respectfully, JOSEPH BROWNE,
Late 102d (old 13th) and 5th Pa. Vol. Regiments.

NOTICES.

CHARTIERS RAILWAY.—The Stockholders of the Chartiers Railway, in Pittsburgh and vicinity, will pay the first installment of FIVE DOLLARS per share, to JOHN EWING, at the Office of Messrs. Harris & Ewing, Wholesale Druggists, corner of Liberty and Tenth streets, on the first of June, and monthly thereafter until the whole amount of their stock is paid.

JOHN H. EWING,
For Treasurer.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE COMMERCIAL PRINTING COMPANY, Pittsburgh, May 26, 1869.

DIVIDEND.--THE PRESIDENT and Board of Directors of this Company have this day declared a Dividend of TEN (10) PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of the Company, free of Government tax, payable on and after June 1st, 1869, at the office of Hart, Caughey & Co.

R. H. PALMER, Treasurer.

FEDERAL OIL COMPANY.—In pursuance of an order from the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, the Directors of the Federal Oil Company have this day declared a Dividend of

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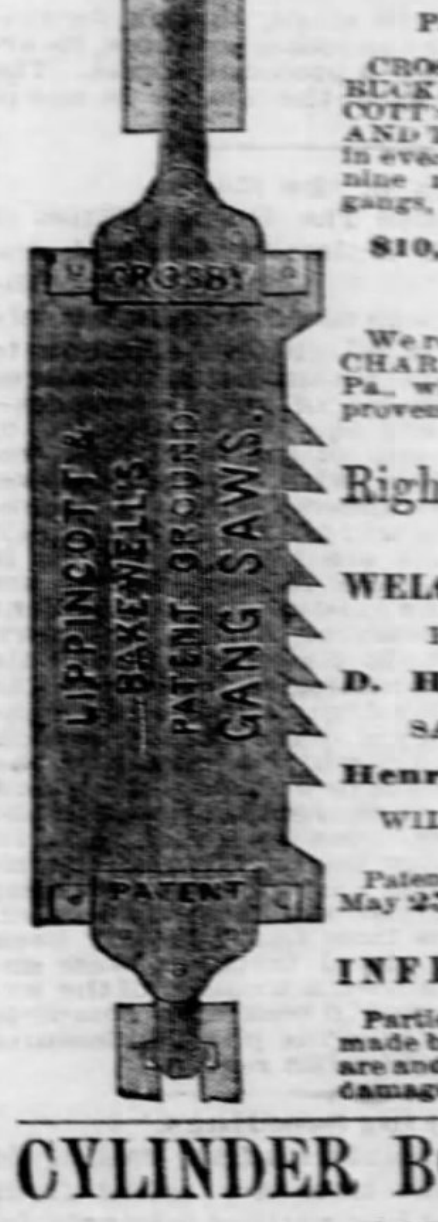

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

MONDAY EVENING, May 31, 1869.

No perceptible change can be reported in the local money market. Whilst the banks are discounting close up to their line for customers, a large proportion of the offerings are renewals, and but little is done in the way of accommodating outside paper, however strongly it may be backed.

—The weekly statement of the associated New York banks is quite favorable, although it continues to show the distinction made as between legal tenders and treasury notes in the popular estimation. Thus the falling off during the week in legal tenders was over twenty-five thousand dollars—a trifle in itself, it is true—showing that while the payments by the city have been made in legal tenders the great bulk of money received by the city has been in national bank notes. The deposits have increased over three and a half millions, which has induced an increased expansion on the part of the banks to the extent of over four and a half millions. The chief features are the gain of nearly two and a half millions in specie and an accession of a million and a half to the amount in excess of the legal reserve. The total sum in excess of the twenty-five per cent. required by law is now $16,437,487.

—Messrs. Ira B. McVay & Co. report the following quotations of government bonds in New York to-day, as furnished them by Jay Cooke & Co., their correspondents:

	Morn.	Noon.	Close.
1881's, 6's	121¾	121¾	121¾
1862, 5-20's	122¼	122⅜	122⅝
1864 5-20's	116⅞	117¼	117⅛
1865 5-20's old	118⅛	118⅜	118⅞
1865 5-20's new	119⅝	119⅞	120
1867 5-20's	119⅝	119⅞	120
1868	119¼	119½	120
10-40's	109	109⅛	109⅛
Gold	138⅛	138⅜	138⅜

James T. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth avenue and Wood street, quote United States Securities in New York to-day as follows:

	May 27.	May 28.	Adv.	Dec.
Gold	139¼	138⅜	...	⅝
U. S. 6's, 1881	121⅝	121⅞	¼	...
U. S. 5-20s, 1862	122⅜	122¾	⅜	...
U. S. 5-20s, 1864	117	117⅜	⅜	...
U. S. 5-20s, 1865	118½	118⅞	⅜	...
U. S. 10-40s	109⅛	109⅜	¼	...
U. S. 5-20s, Jan., July, 1865	119½	120	½	...
U. S. 5-20s, Jan., July, 1867	119½	120	½	...
U. S. 5-20s, Jan., July, 1868	119½	120	½	...

As remarked by a correspondent, the late high range of prices in Government bonds has attracted from the interior a certain amount of these securities, under which the market worked temporarily weak; this supply comes from the hands of a limited class of timid holders, and are readily taken up by the large dealers, (who should be the best judges,) in anticipation of higher prices.

—The following table, made up from dispatches received at J. W. Kennedy's Stock Rooms, Apollo Building, No. 80 Fourth avenue, shows the prices of Railway stocks, Gold, etc. at the various sessions of the New York Boards during the day:

May 31, 1869.	10 A M	10 45 A M	12 10 M	1 40 P M	4 00 P M
N. Y. Central	189½	189¾	189¾	189	189¾
Hudson River	...	157½	...	157½	...
Harlem	...	150	...	151	...
Reading	99⅞	99⅞	99	99⅞	99⅞
Mich. Central	...	128	...	128	...
Mich. Southern	115⅞	116⅞	119	118⅞	119⅞
Illinois Central	...	145	...	145⅛	...
Cleve. & Pitts	97⅞	98⅞	99⅛	99⅞	99⅞
Fort Wayne	158	157⅛	157⅛	156⅞	156⅞
Chic. & N. W.	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞	93	92⅞
Do preferred	105⅛	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞
Cleve. & Toledo	...	116⅛	...	116	...
Rock Island	126⅞	127	126⅞	125⅞	126
Tol. & Wabash	...	77⅞	...	77	...
Do preferred	...	82⅞	...	80	...
Chicago & Alton	...	157⅞	...	158	...
St. Paul	...	78⅞	...	79⅞	...
Do preferred	...	89⅞	...	90⅞	...
Ohio & Miss	...	35⅞	...	35⅞	...
Pacific Mail	...	80⅞	...	81⅞	...
W. U. Telegraph	...	43	...	43	...
Adams Ex	...	59½	...	59⅞	...
Merch't U. Ex	...	14	...	14⅞	...
Amer. M. U. Ex	...	39	...	39⅞	...
Wells Fargo Ex	...	31¼	...	31¼	...
United States Ex	...	66	...	66⅞	...
Gold	138⅞	138⅞	138⅞	138⅞	138⅞

A comparison between Saturday's and today's closing quotations shows the following changes, which compare as follows with Saturday's quotations:

	Sat.	Mon.	Adv.	Dec.
N. Y. Central	189¾	189¾	...	...
Hudson River	157½	157½	...	...
Harlem	148	151	3	...
Reading	99	99¼	¼	...
Mich. Central	128½	128	...	½
Mich. South	114½	119½	5	...
Illinois Central	146⅛	145⅜	...	¾
Cleve. and Pitts	97⅛	99⅝	2⅜	...
Fort Wayne	157⅝	156⅜	...	1¼
Chicago and North	93⅝	92⅞	...	1
Do preferred	105	104⅞	...	⅛
Cleve. and Toledo	112⅜	116	3⅝	...
Rock Island	126⅜	126	...	⅜
Tol. and Wabash	77	77	...	...
Do preferred	80	80	...	...
Chicago and Alton	158	158	...	...
St. Paul	77½	79¼	1¾	...
Do preferred	88⅛	90⅞	2¾	...
Ohio and Miss	34⅞	35⅝	¾	...
Pacific Mail	80⅝	81½	⅞	...
Adams Express	43⅛	43	...	⅛
Western U. Tel	59½	59½	...	...
Merch. U. Ex	14	14⅝	⅝	...
American M.U.Ex.	38¼	39⅛	⅞	...
Wells, Fargo & Co.	32	31¼	...	¾
U. S. Express	66	66¼	¼	...

The New York *Herald* (Sunday edition) says:—The dispute as to the conversion of stock of the Merchants' Union and the American Express Companies was under consideration at a meeting of the Directors of the Consolidated American Merchants' Union Company, and a resolution adopted that on the 30th day of June next the books of the company will be closed against further conversions of the stock of the Merchant's Union Express Company into the stock of the consolidated company, and will thereafter be opened only in favor of those shareholders in the Merchants' Union Express Company who on or before that day give notice in writing to the secretary of the company of their intention and wish to make such conversion of their stock, and shall within the same time deposit their certificates of stock, with the sums due from them respectively, upon such call; such deposit to be returned unless the conversion shall be actually and lawfully made.

—The Chicago and Northwestern Railroad Company, in accordance with the rules of the Stock Exchange, gave the required thirty days' notice on Saturday morning, that fifteen thousand shares will be added to their preferred stock, and that this stock is issued to replace bonds which have been paid and cancelled, and to pay for new equipment which has been put on the road during the past six months. The directors of the company have engaged to take this stock at par, free of the June dividend, which makes the price of sale 105. It is claimed by the friends of the road that it is earning considerably more than ten per cent. net on both classes of the stock—this after paying the leases, interest on its bonds, and making important permanent improvements on the property; that the gross receipts for the year ending May 31, will be about fourteen millions of dollars, which would be an increase of nearly eleven per cent. over the preceding year.

—James W. Kennedy, Broker, No. 80 Fourth avenue, (Apollo Building, dealer in United States Bonds, State and Municipal Securities, Railroad, Bank, Insurance and Miscellaneous Stocks. Being represented in the New York Stock Boards every day while in session, he purchases and sells on commission any stocks on the regular lists on the same terms as the New York brokers. Governments, Gold and Railway Stocks purchased for customers on the usual margin.

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, MONDAY EVENING, May 31, 1869.

Our general market were quite to-day, with about the usual transactions noticed daily last week. Flour is declining, and the Pearl Mills to-day reduced prices, as will be seen from the quotations given below. Wheat is plenty—dull and nominal in price. Most kinds of grain are dull and but little doing.

We quote as follows, which are the wholesale store prices, unless otherwise noted:

APPLES—Market dull. We quote nominally common to good at $3 50@5 50, and very choice in a retail way at from $6 00@8 00 ℔ bbl., as to quality.

BUTTER—Market dull. The best roll selling slowly at 23@25c ℔ lb. Common is plenty and dull at prices ranging from 10 to 20c ℔ lb, as to quality.

EGGS—Scarce, and good fresh packed command readily 18c ℔ doz.

BACON, LARD, ETC.—There is a fair demand and market firm. We quote shoulders at 14c; rib sides 16½c; clear sides 17¾@18c; sugar cured hams 19c, and canvassed 19½@20c; plain hams 17½@17¾c; dried beef 21c, and canvassed 21½c; breakfast bacon 19½c ℔ lb. Lard in tierces 19@19½c, and in kegs 20@20½c ℔ lb.

LARD OIL—Market steady. Extra No. 1 $1 50@1 52, and No. 2 at $1 20 ℔ gallon.

HOMINY—Market dull at $5 75@6 00 ℔ bbl.

LIME—We quote Cleveland lime at $2 50 ℔ bbl, and white lime at $1 75 ℔ bbl.

MAPLE MOLLASSES—Sales by the gallon jug at $1 50@1 75.

CHEESE—Sales of Western Reserve at 16@17c; Ohio Factory 18@19c; Ohio Goshen 20@21c; New York Goshen at 22@23c, and Sweitzer at 19@19½c ℔ lb.

DRIED FRUIT—Dull; sales of peaches at 14@14½c for quarters; 16@16½c for mixed, and 18@19c for halves. Dried apples are wanted at 13½@15c, as to quality.

MILL FEED—The Pearl Mill prices are, ℔ 100 wholesale for bran, $1 10, for shipstuff, $1 30; for middlings, $1 90; for screenings, $1 00; for chop $1 50, and for sweepings $2 00.

SEEDS—Clover seed is in light demand at from $9 00@9 50 ℔ bushel. No timothy seed offering. Flax seed in light supply at $2 40@2 45 ℔ bushel.

POTATOES—Market well supplied and dull. Choice Peachblows from store are hardly quotable at over 50c ℔ bushel, and buckeyes sell as low as $1 00@1 15 ℔ barrel.

SALT—Sales to the trade at $1 80@1 85, and $1 90@2 00 in a retail way.

TAR—Sales of North Carolina tar at $1 50@5 00, to size of package.

PICKLES—Sales at from 75@90c ℔ hundred, as to quality.

HAY—Receipts by country wagons good, and prices may be quoted at $25@30 ℔ ton.

FLOUR—Prices declining with a fair stock on the market. We are informed by Mr. Kennedy, of the Pearl Mills, that he has contracted for new Tennessee wheat, which will be delivered at the mills within two weeks from this date. The crop of wheat all over the country is the most promising noted for many years, and flour must continue declining. Store prices are irregular and we quote nominally good, in barrels, at $5 50@7 00; choice spring in barrels $7, and in sacks $6 75; winter wheat in barrels $7 75@8 25, and in sacks $7 50@7 75. The Pearl Mill prices were reduced to-day 30c ℔ barrel and we quote their fresh ground brands as follows: Pearl Mill three star, green brand, in barrels $9 40, and in sacks $9 10; double extra of selected amber and white winter wheat, in barrels $8 30, and in sacks $8 00; choice selected red winter wheat flour, in barrels $7 70, and in sacks $7 40; choice spring wheat flour in barrels $7 00, and in sacks $6 70.

CORN MEAL—Kiln dried, cold bolted, ℔ bbl of 4 bushels, $3 75, and by the bushel 85@90c.

RYE FLOUR—We quote at $6 50@7 00 ℔ bbl., as to quality.

GRAIN—Market continues dull, there being but little done in grain of any kind, with a drooping tendency in prices. Red winter wheat of the best quality seems dull at $1 40. Oats are quiet at 67@68c on the track. Ear corn sells from first hands at 75@77c. Rye is dull and weak at $1 25, and barley at $1 70 for choice.

WHISKY—Trade moderate and prices unchanged. We quote highwines at 95c; Common rectified at 95c, and proof rectified $1 05; half rye and half corn $1 75; old Monongahela, two years old, $2 25, and old Monongahela three years old, $3 50 ℔ gallon. Very old whiskies are scarce, and sell at high and nominal prices, varying from $5 00@8 00 ℔ gallon.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, TUESDAY, June 1st, 1869.

The market yesterday for both crude and refined was dull, but without any particular change in prices from Saturday. But few sales were reported.

CRUDE OIL—There was but little done in the regular way of business, though the market appears a little firmer. A few sales were reported, viz:

1,000 bbls first water, at	12½c
1,000 bbls first water, at	12¾c
2,500 bbls first water, at	12½c
1,000 bbls June, at	12¾c
5,000 bbls all year, B. O. at	15c
1,000 bbls in cars, Oil City, at	$4 80

REFINED OIL—Market quiet and weak, with but few sales, and those at about the same figures as last reported. We note the following:

3,500 bbls May	29¼c
1,000 bbls last half August	30½c

Quotations—June, 29¼c; July, 29¾c; November and December, 30½c.

The following dispatches were received at the branch offices of the Western Union and the Pacific and Atlantic lines, on Duquesne Way. The wires were interrupted by the storm to-day on both lines.

[By Western Union Telegraph.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—Market quiet. P. L. S. to W. 28½c; S. W. 29¼c, and crude 15½c.

ROUSEVILLE, PA., May 31.—Market inactive; $4 40 asked and $4 25 bid.

PLEASANTVILLE, May 31, 2 P. M.—Prices at wells $3 50@3 60.

NEW YORK, May 31, 1:05 P. M.—Market quiet and weak; crude 13½c and refined 29½c.

[By Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—Spot 29¼c; June 29¼c; July 30c; August 30¼c; August to December 31½c, and crude 14c in bulk, with a quiet market.

BOSTON.

The *Bulletin* of Saturday reports the market dull and unsettled with the decline in gold, and Western refined oil has been selling at a little reduction in New York. Boston brands are without quotable change. Crude oil is dull and lower, now selling at the wells at $4 75 ℔ bbl. The export movement is temporarily checked.

In this market crude is nominal at 16@17c ℔ gal in bulk, and 23@24c in bbls. Refined is steady, with sales at 33@35c ℔ gal for western, and 35@37c for Boston, the outside rate for Kerosene, bbls, extra. Canned and case oil, for southern export, is selling at 40@42c ℔ gal. Naptha is quiet, with sales at 14@21c ℔ gal, as to gravity.

PHILADELPHIA.—The receipts the past week were 8,860 bbls. crude, and refined 15,773 bbls. The exports for the week were 646,256 gallons refined. Total export since January 1st, 1869, 8,207,100 gallons, against 11,692,846 gallons same time in 1868. There was on Friday last 19 vessels chartered and loading with petroleum for foreign ports.

The stock of petroleum on Tuesday last was as follows:

	bbls.
Point Breeze	18,268
Greenwich Point	4,300
Gibson's Point	1,750
Total	24,318

Oil Receipts per River and Rail.

Fisher Bros.	2,560	Commercial O. w.	480
Petrolite Oil Works	1,040	Waring & King	320
R. T. Leech	480	Citizens' Oil Works	480
Total			5,360

Oil Shipped East by A. V. R. R.

Lyons & Co, 899 bbls refined to W P Logan & Bro. Philadelphia.

Citizens Oil Company, 518 bbls ref to Tack Bros, Philadelphia.

McKelvy Bro. & Co, 263 bbls refined to W P Logan & Bro. Philadelphia.

J C Kirkpatrick & Co, 169 bbls ref to Waring, King & co. Philadelphia.

Montzheimer, Koehler & Co, 750 bbls ref Waring, King & co. Philadelphia.

Braun & Wagner, 301 bbls ref to Waring, King & Co, Philadelphia.

Liberty Oil Works, 300 bbls ref to W P Logan & Bro, Philadelphia.

Livingston Bros, 75 bbls refined to Warden, Frew & Co. Philadelphia.

Lockhart, Frew & co, 391 bbls ref to Warden, Frew & Co. Phila.

Total shipments Refined......3,666 bbls

IRON.

BOSTON.

The market for pig iron continues dull, and with a sharp decline in gold and liberal receipts prices are rather unsettled, says the *Bulletin*, and hardly so firm as noted one week ago. Several invoices of Scotch have been received since our last, and at the present cost of the article laid down here, there is but a very small margin. But the consumptive demand is very light, and the prices asked being relatively high as compared with those of domestic iron, buyers are rather disposed to hold off.

American pig metal is in liberal supply, and with a dull market prices have a downward tendency. In New York sellers have submitted to a material reduction on the inferior grades. No. 1 is without quotable change, and the Pennsylvania furnaces are now turning out a fair proportion of this quality.

Manufactured iron is very quiet, and most foreign descriptions, including English rails, have been unsettled by the late fluctuations in gold.

Scotch pig is quiet, with small sales of Gartsherrie and other brands No. 1, in lots for consumption, at $42@46 ℔ ton, the outside rate for Coltness. American is in moderate demand with sales of retail lots at $40@45 ℔ ton, for the different numbers. Charcoal pig is selling at $50@60 ℔ ton, as to brand. Bar iron is dull and unsettled, with sales of English and American, from store, at $85@87 ℔ ton for common, and $90@92 for refined. Rails are a shade lower, with sales at $55 50@56 50 ℔ ton, gold, for English, and $80@81 ℔ ton, currency, for American. Cast steel is selling at 18@23c ℔ lb for English, and 19@20c for American. Boiler plates are selling at 7¾c for flanges, 5¾c for C No. 1, and 5¼c ℔ lb for common and tank. Russian sheet is in very moderate demand, with sales at 11¼@13c, gold, as to number. English and American do is quiet, and selling at 5¼@8c ℔ lb. Nails are plenty, with sales at 4¾c ℔ lb for assorted sizes. Old iron is dull and selling at $1 40@1 70 ℔ 100 lbs for cast, and $1 95@2 00 for wrought scrap.

IRONTON, OHIO.

The *Journal* says that notwithstanding the fact that a number of our furnaces are in full blast and pig coming forward rapidly, the supply is absorbed, and no increase of stock on hand can be reported. The receipts for the week are 912 tons, shipments and home consumption about the same. We quote:

Mill, hot blast, No. 1	$40 00@42 00
Foundry, hot blast, do	46 00@48 00
Foundry, hot blast, No. 2	44 00@46 00
Hecla cold blast, No. 1 Carwheel	60 00@63 00
Etna cold blast, No. 1 Carwheel	60 00

BITUMINOUS.

Belfont No. 1	$40 00

Bar is active at 3¾@4¼c for common.

Nails are in fair demand at $4 50 for 10d and 60d.

PORTSMOUTH.

Since the last report 600 tons have received and 200 shipped, besides home consumption.

We can only say, iron is still very scarce and very firm at our quotations. Supplies of new iron will soon be coming in.

We quote:

Foundry, ℔ ton	$47@48
Mill, "	42@43
Cold blast	55@60
Hot blast	42@43

—*Republican.*

Provisions at Cincinnati.

From the circular of George W. Phillips, Jr., we learn that the provision market during the week past has shown more animation than for many weeks previous, and prices of most articles have advanced with a good consumptive demand. There is but little disposition to speculate, and the few lots bought for forward delivery, will go out of the market as soon as ready. Holders seem careless about selling for future except at prices considerably higher than those current to-day, and the light stock of bacon out of smoke has made it difficult to fill orders. The market closed quiet to-day, but very firm at quotations below:

Mess pork has a quiet market, but holders are firm in their demands of $31, with buyers at $30 75. No country mess of consequence offering either here or at country points.

Rumps are in light supply and demand. They range from $24 to $27, as in quality.

Lard has dragged all the week; it is held at 18¾c, but this is above the views of buyers, and sales could not be effected easily at 18c. Keg lard nominal at 19½c. Lower grades scarce and nominal.

Greases range from 9½c to 15c. Stearine 17¼@18c.

Bulk meats have been in active demand, especially shoulders and rib sides, with sales at the close of shoulders, rib clear, rib and clear sides at 12¼, 15¾ and 16¼c loose; hams 13½@14¼c, and scarce.

Bacon has been in fair demand, and at the close 13½, 16¾ and 17¼c is asked for shoulders, clear rib and clear sides, with buyers ¼c less. There has been a large demand for rib sides at 16¾@16½c, but there are now out of smoke or to come out unsold. Sugar cured hams 18@19c; plain 16¼@17c; second pickle 17¼@17½c; dried beef 17@17½c; plate beef dull and neglected $15@16.

Gloucester Fish Market.

[For the week ending May 27.]

Georges Codfish—Sales the present week at $7 50 ℔ qtl.

Mackerel—Sales of new shore 3s, large and medium, at $12@10 ℔ bbl.

Fresh Halibut—In light receipt, last sales of Georges at $7 ℔ cwt.

Smoked Halibut—11½c ℔ lb.

Oil—Cod, 95c ℔ gal.—*Cape Ann Adv.*

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, May 31.—Flour dull; demand limited to local wants; family $5 35@5 75. Wheat dull; not offered so pressing; No 2 $1 10@1 12; No 1 $1 15@1 20. Corn unchanged; steady; ear 65c. Oats in light supply and firm at 68@72c. Rye dull at $1 20. Cotton firm 27@27½c for middling. Tobacco active; full rates; sales 215 hhds at $4 20@23 00. Whisky unsettled; held at $1, but no buyers at better than 98c. Mess Pork held at $31 25; no demand. Bulk meats held at 12½@12¾c for shoulders, and 15c for sides; no sales. Bacon held at 13½, 16¾ and 17½c, but not much demand, and these rates are fully ½c above the views of buyers; 100 hhds clear rib sides sold at 17c, short time, but this is above the market, as they were offered at 16¾c. Lard held at 19c, under advance in England, but no demand. Butter dull; supply large but drooping; sales fresh at 23@27c. Eggs scarce and in demand at 19c; supply light. Linseed oil firm at $1 05@1 06. Lard oil $1 40@1 45. Petroleum 30c for refined. Sugar and molasses unchanged and steady. Gold 138⅜ buying.

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STERLING.

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GOLD

Lower on the rise in bonds in London, and reports that Mr. Motley made a pacific speech in England; opened at 138¾, and closed at 138⅛@138⅜. Carrying rates 5@8 ℔ cent. Clearances $60,000,000.

GOVERNMENTS

Active and higher; foreign houses were chief buyers, one firm alone being credited with taking five millions. The improvement in London is attributed to the knowledge that Mr. Motley's instructions are entirely pacific, and our troubles will be settled amicably. Coupons, '81, 122@122¼; do '62, 122⅝@122¾; do '64, 117⅛@117½; do '65, 118⅞@119; do new, 120@120⅛; do '67, 120@120⅛; do '68, 120@120⅛; 10 40s, 109⅛@109¼; Pacifics, 107⅜@107½.

STATE BONDS

Steady; Missouris 88⅞@89; old Tennessees 67⅜@67⅝; new do 64⅞@65; old North Carolinas 59⅛@59¾; new do 55@55½; old Virginias 57⅞@58½; new do 61⅛@62⅛.

THE STOCK MARKET

Was strong and active, particularly on Michigan Southern, Lake Shore, Pittsburgh, St. Paul and Northwestern, with a marked advance on those shares. Report says the Vanderbilt party expect to obtain control of the two former roads at the election in Cleveland on Wednesday; that they will be consolidated with New York Central and a scrip dividend of 10 to 25 ℔ cent. be made on them. Pacific Mail and Quicksilver were weak, the latter on the announcement that a new mortgage had been given to secure their leading debt.

5:30 PRICES.

Cumberland, 34@36; Wells's Express, 31⅛@31⅜; American, 31¼; Adams, 59⅞@60; United States, 66⅛@66½; Merchant's Union, 14⅞@15; Quicksilver, 16@16½; Canton, 64⅛@64⅜; Pacific Mail, 81@81⅛; Western Union Telegraph, 43⅛@43¼; Hartford and Erie, 23; Mariposa, 24@24½; preferred, 50⅞@51⅛; New York Central, 190⅛@190½; Erie, 28⅛@28⅜; preferred, 51@52; Hudson, 157⅛@157½; Harlem, 151@151½; Reading, 100@100⅛; Chicago and Alton, 158; do preferred, 158⅛@1 63; Terre Haute, 38¼@40½; do preferred, 64; Wabash, 77@77⅛; do preferred, 82⅛@82⅜; St. Paul, 79⅜@78⅞; do preferred, 90⅞@91; Fort Wayne, 157@157⅛; Ohio and Mississippi, 35⅛@35⅜; Michigan Central, 128@130; Michigan Southern, 119@119⅛; Illinois Central, 145½@146⅛; Pittsburgh, 165; Lake Shore, 117⅛@117½; Rock Island, 127@127⅛; Northwestern, 93⅛@93⅜; do preferred, 105@105⅛; Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central, 43⅛; St. Joseph, 120; do preferred, 119⅛; Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis, 75⅛; Burlington and Quincy, 199; Dubuque and Sioux City, 109.

MINING SHARES

Smith & Parmelee, $3 00; Gregory, $2 65; Quartz Hill, $1 10. Copper stocks at Boston—Copper Falls, 8; Franklin, 18; Hecla, 80; Hancock 4.

Receipts at the Sub-Treasury, $1,784,659; payments, $787,478; balance, $76,888,478.

Disbursements of coin interest, to-day $306,710.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 31, 1869.

EASTERN EXCHANGE—On New York ⅛ premium.

FLOUR—Dull; demand exclusively to fill orders at previous rates, $4 25@4 50 for spring superfine; $4 80@6 for low grade to good spring extras.

WHEAT—Fairly active on both speculative and shipping account; No. 2 spring opened ½c lower than Saturday's price, but subsequently advanced ¼@½c, closing at $1 15¾@1 16; sales of No. 1 at $1 18¾@1 19, and No. 2 at $1 15@1 16; during the afternoon the market was quiet, with sales of No. 2 at $1 15¾@1 16 on spot, and $1 13¾ seller June.

CORN—Market firmer and ¼@½c higher; demand only moderate, to supply the wants of shippers and speculators in options; sales were made at 62½@63c seller June; 64@64½c seller first half of month for No 1, and 57¼@57¾c seller June; 58½@59c buyer June, for No 2; the market closed at 68c for No 1, and 58½c for No 2 on spot; in the afternoon nothing was done, and market nominally unchanged.

OATS—In fair speculative request at lower prices; sales at 60@60½c, closing at the inside.

RYE—Demand meagre and market quiet, closing at $1 05@1 05½.

BARLEY—Dull, inactive and nominal at $1 48@1 50 for No 2 in store.

HIGHWINES—Dull and nominal; sellers at 94@95c, buyers at 92@93c.

MESS PORK—Held at $31 50; buyers unwilling to pay those figures; no sales. Lard inactive, closing with sellers at 18¾c. Sweet pickled hams in fair demand; sales 200 tcs at 19½c. Bulk meats firm and shoulders closed with few buyers at 12c.

CATTLE—In fair local and shipping request; sales at $5 00 for stockers; $6 00@6 70 for fair to medium, and $7 00@7 40 for good to choice steers.

HOGS—Firm and fairly active; sales at $8 00@8 50 for stockers; $8 45@8 60 for fair to medium; $8 75@9 00 for good to choice shipping lots.

FREIGHTS—Without material change.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Cotton more active and ½c better; sales 4,060 bales at 29½c for middling uplands. Flour—receipts 14,203 bbls; flour heavy and 5@10c lower; sales 8,100 bbls at $5 20@5 60 for superfine State and western; $6@6 35 for extra State; $5 75@6 60 for extra western; $6 70@7 75 for white wheat extra; $6 10@7 25 for round hoop Ohio; $7@8 for extra St. Louis; $9@12 for good choice do, closing steady; included in sales were 3,500 bbls extra State for export, at $6 10@6 25. Rye flour heavy; sales 300 bbls at $4 75@6 70. Cornmeal quiet. Whisky nominal at $1 for western free. Receipts of wheat 90,770 bush; wheat opened heavy and 1c lower closing more firmly; sales 3,000 bush at $1 34½@1 43 for No. 2 spring afloat, closing at better prices; $1 48 for No. 1 do afloat; $1 40 for common red Indiana; $1 55@1 57 for amber State white Canada; $1 62 for very choice amber Michigan; $1 68@1 70 for white California; $1 65@1 75 for white western. Rye dull. Barley and barley malt nominal. Receipts of corn 8,433 bush; corn heavy and 1c lower; sales 51,000 bush at 5@73c for new mixed western via Canal; 74@80c for do via railroad; 81@87c for kiln dried, 85@88c for high mixed and yellow western. Receipts of oats 68,071 bush; oats without decided change; sales 49,000 bush at 77@77½c for western afloat. Rice dull at 8½@9c for Carolina. Coffee more active and steady; sales 786 bags Rio and 400 bags Maricaibo, both on private terms. Sugar nominally unchanged; sales 100 hhds Cuba at 10½@13⅛c and 80 boxes Havana at 14c. Molasses quiet and firm. Hops quiet at 6@12c for American. Petroleum dull at 14½c for crude and 29½c for refined. Linseed oil quiet. Spirits turpentine unchanged. Pork firmer; fair demand; sales 1,700 bbls at $31 37@31 62½ for new mess; $31 50 cash; $31@31 25 for old do; $25@26 for prime; $28 25 for prime mess; sales 500 bbls new mess, buyer June, $31 75. Beef unchanged; sales 170 bbls at $8@16 for new plain mess; $12@18 for new extra mess; tierce beef nominal at $22@28 for prime mess; $26@32 for India mess. Beef hams steady; sales of 120 barrels at $26@31 50. Cut meats quiet; sales of 150 packages at 12½@13c for shoulders; 15@16c for hams. Middles firm; sales 675 bxs at 16½c long ribbed; 16½c Staffordshire; long clear on private terms. Lard quiet and easier; sales 450 lbs at 17¾@19½c; chiefly 19½c for steam, and 19½@19¾c for kettle rendered. Butter dull at 28@35c for Ohio and State. Cheese quiet at 18@22½c. Freights to Liverpool opened firmer and closed dull and drooping; shipments 4,500 bushels wheat at 6½d per sail and 7@7½d per steamer, closing at inside.

LATEST—Flour closed firm for low grades of extra for exportation and dull and heavy for other kinds. Wheat a shade firmer for spring, with good export demand. Rye nominal. Oats closed quiet. Corn heavy at 72@73c for new mixed via canal, and 75@82c for do via railroad. Pork quiet at $31 50 for new mess. Beef dull and unchanged. Cut meats dull and unchanged. Bacon steady and in fair demand. Lard dull at 19@19½c for fair to prime steam. Eggs dull and unchanged.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—Tobacco active at full prices. Cotton—no sales reported. Hemp very dull; small sales choice dressed at $240. Flour dull and unchanged; superfine and spring extra sold at $4 50@5 00; spring and club XX $5 25@6 00; fall $6 00@6 75; XXX to fancy $7 00@9 50. Wheat in moderate demand and unchanged prices; No. 2 spring held at $1 09; No. 1 $1 12; choice club $1 15@1 16; prime to choice red fall $1 35@1 52; fancy red and white $1 60@1 79. Corn dull, lower and unsettled; mixed and choice mixed in bulk 55@62c; mixed in second-hand sacks, 65c; choice white do 75c; mixed in new sacks 70c; yellow 70@73c; choice and fancy white 76@78c. Oats dull and drooping; 62@64c in bulk; 63@65c in sacks. Rye lower; sales at 95@96c. Sugar 13¾@15c. Louisiana molasses 75@85c. Plantation Coffee 24½@25½c good to prime Rio; 25@25½c choice do. Provisions stiff but only order business doing. Pork sold at $31 50; loose dry salt shoulders 12c; do hams 13c; rib sides 15c; bacon shoulders 13@13½c; clear rib sides 16⅞@17c; clear sides 17¼@17½. Lard—Holders asking higher prices; a choice lot sold at 18c. Jobbing sales—18½c for tierce and 20c for keg. Cattle—Steady at 4@7½c. Hogs—We quote at 7½@9c.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, May 31.—Cotton quiet with light demand; low middling 25¼c. Provisions quiet; mess pork $31 50. Bacon—shoulders 13¾c, clear sides 17¾c; sugar cured hams 19@19½c. Lard steady at 18¾c; kegs 20c. Hay—market steady; choice timothy $22 50. Bagging steady; heavy flax and hemp $21@22. Cement active at $2. Candles—12 oz star 15½c. Whisky quiet at $1 01 for raw. Flour—demand fair and prices steady; superfine $4 75@5 25; extra family $5 75@6 25; No 1 $7 25@8; fancy $8 25@9. Corn meal steady; kiln $1@4 25. Grain market light demand. Wheat steady at $1 50@1 [illegible] Corn steady at 70@72c. Groceries—market unchanged; New Orleans sugar 12@15c for common to prime; hard standard 17¾c; downward 13c. Coffee quiet; 20½@25½c for common to strict choice. New Orleans molasses 70@85c for common to prime. Wool in good demand; unwashed 31@46c; washed 45@48c. Potatoes—new in fair demand at $7@8 ℔ bbl.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—There has been a large movement in plain cottons to our largest dry goods jobbers, based on the idea that prices have touched bottom, and an advance must take place soon, as many brands have been sold at a serious loss, and the mills have consequently curtailed their production. Interior buyers who are in need of goods for early trade, would do well to supply themselves in time before an advance is established by jobbers. At present prices rule steady.

Philadelphia Cattle Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—Beef cattle in fair demand at firmer rates; sales of 1,737 head at 9½@9¾c for extra western steers; 8@8½c for choice; 8@8½c for fair to good; 5@7c ℔ lb, gross, for common. Sheep in fair demand; sales 12,000 head at 5½@7½c gross. Hogs unchanged; sales 2,900 head at $12@12 75 for slop; $13@14 for cornfed ℔ cwt. nett.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, May 31.—Flour quiet and steady. Wheat dull and unchanged. Corn steady; white 87@88c; yellow 85@86c. Oats unchanged. Mess pork firm at $32. Bacon firm; rib sides 17@17¼c; clear rib sides 17¾@18c; shoulders 14c; hams 19@20c. Lard firm at 19@19½c. Whisky dull at $1 04.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—Flour inactive and weak; Northwestern extra family $6 00@6 75; Ohio do $7 00@8 25. Wheat dull; red $1 34@1 40; amber $1 47. Rye $1 53. Corn very quiet; mixed western 85@86c. Oats dull at 75@77c. Petroleum dull; crude 19c; refined 29c. Provisions and whisky unchanged.

Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, May 31.—Flour dull and nominally unchanged. Wheat quiet at $1 18¾ for No. 1; $1 16¾ for No. 2. Oats quiet and steady at 58c for No. 2. Corn dull and lower at 58½c for rejected new. Rye dull and lower at $1 for No. 1 old.

Memphis Market.

MEMPHIS, May 31.—Cotton firm; low middlings 26¾c; receipts 195 bales; exports 327 bales. Flour dull; super $5@5 25. Corn 76c. Oats 80c. Hay $27. Pork $32. Lard 18½@19½c. Bacon firm; shoulders 13¾c; clear sides 17¾c. Bulk meats dull; shoulders 12¼c; sides 16c.

For Additional Telegraph Markets See First Page.

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RIVER TELEGRAMS.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 31.—River about at a stand. Weather cloudy and warm.

RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Arrived.

Elector	Donaldson	Geneva.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Chieftain	Phillips	Geneva.
Allena May	Flanegan	Geneva.

Departed.

Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Franklin	G. W. Clarke	Geneva.
Chieftain	Phillips	Geneva.
New State	Muhleman	Wheeling.

Monongahela seven feet eight inches and rising.

THE marks last evening indicated seven feet eight inches and rising slowly. During the afternoon we had one of the heaviest rains that has visited these parts for some time. The coalboatmen are getting a fleet in order to leave on the present rise. Trade on the landing was not very active, freights being scarce.

THE steamer Glasgow, Capt. A. Robinson, was announced to leave Cincinnati for this port on Monday.

NORTHERN LINE OF SIDEWHEEL STEAMERS.—Through receipts given to all points on the Upper Mississippi to St. Paul at the lowest rates, by R. C. Gray, No. 94 Water street.

THE light draught packet Allena May, Capt. Flanegan, takes her departure to-day at four P. M., for Brownsville and Geneva. The clerks are Messrs. Kramer and James. They will be found careful and attentive.

A WHALE THAT IS A WHALE.—The towboat Whale arrived at 3 A. M. on Monday and returned to Cincinnati the same day at 2 P. M., with ten barges, containing 100,000 bushels of coal.

THE fine steamer Kate Putnam, Capt. Reed, is announced for Cairo and St. Louis this day. To persons going that way a fine opportunity is presented. This boat has fine speed, superior accommodations and attentive officers.

THE fine passenger steamer Armadillo, Capt. A. McCarty, is announced for St. Louis and the headwaters of the Mississippi. This boat is well found in every respect and is in charge of gentlemanly and attentive officers. Capt. B. McLaughlin will do the honors in the office.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The first-class passenger packet Glendale, Captain J. M. Hare, takes her departure this day at 12 M. for St. Louis, Galena, Dubuque and St. Paul. This boat stands A No. 1 in every respect, has fine speed, and the best of accommodations. Capt. James Mellon has charge of the office.

CINCINNATI, May 28.—The new towboat Ironsides, Captain M. W. Beltzhoover, arrived from St. Louis this morning with a tow of seven model barges laden with 1,800 tons iron ore for Pittsburgh. She landed at the mouth of Licking for fuel and stores, after receiving which, proceeded on up the river.

IN A BAD WAY.—The Louisville *Sun* says: The Silver Moon still remains clinging to the reef on the Indiana side of the chute, and fears are entertained that she will part her timber and go to pieces, or be carried by the swift and rising current down among the bridge piers, which would be sure distruction.

THE new and substantial steamer Matamoras No. 2, Captain Robert Dalzell, takes her departure for New Orleans and Texas direct. Any person that wishes a speedy and pleasant trip to the Lone Star State, should call on the Matamoras No. 2 and engage passage. Mr. John C. Mitchell, a gentleman and an accomplished officer, will be found in the office.

HO FOR THE MUSKINGUM.—The favorite packet Julia No. 2, Captain W. Coulson, takes her departure this day at 4 P. M. for Wheeling, Marietta and Zanesville. Persons who have traveled in the Julia speak in flattering terms of her appointments. Mr. Johnson, who has charge of the office, will see that passengers have the best of attention.

THE far famed passenger steamer Glendale, Captain John M. Hare, is announced for St. Louis, Galena, Dubuque and St. Paul. This boat is noted for fine speed, superior accommodations and careful and attentive officers. Passengers who have traveled on the Glendale speak in flattering terms of her appointments. Our attentive friend, Capt. Jas. Mellon, does the honors in the office.

ANOTHER VICTIM.—The Cincinnati *Evening Chronicle* says: The remains of Miss Eva Jones, who was lost from the United States, were found in the river yesterday, near Vevay, Indiana. The body was recognized by her name marked on her under-clothing. The remains were sent to Louisville on the General Buell, and will be forwarded from there to Florida for interment.

THE rise in the Monongahela will enable the coalboatmen to send out another fleet to-day and to-morrow. The following towboats are at the landing, viz: V. F. Wilson, Arrow, Collier, Eagle, Star, Panther, N. J. Bigley, Little Alps, J. S. Neel, Diamond, Lake Erie No. 3, Fearless, Dart, Warner and Baltic. The Whale left for Cincinnati with 100,000 bushels of coal, and the V. F. Wilson with 125,000 bushels for the same place.

GOING TO QUIT.—The last meeting of the Directors of the Quincy Packet Company took place in Quincy some days ago, and it was there decided to auction off the assets of the company and pay the liabilities. The latter amount to $7,500, and the assets are $75,000, stock in the Northwestern Union Packet Company, and $7,000 unpaid stocks and "bills receivable." The entire stock will be sold in June at public auction on good terms.

SENSIBLE.—The St. Louis *Republican* says: A basis of rates was agreed upon by the lower river lines, and they now stand firm, as follows: To New Orleans, Memphis and Vicksburgh—Flour, 35c per bbl; pork, 50c per bbl; corn and oats, 20c per sack; bacon, 20c per 100 lbs, and heavy pound freight 25c per 100. We are glad that a tariff has been agreed upon, and hope that none of the lines will break it until compelled by low water. To St. Paul and Keokuk shipments are active both ways, and rates firm up stream. Missouri river receipts are becoming larger, and "way business" remains good. Ohio river trade is dull.

THE history of a pair of horns. Captain W. T. Boardman, steamer B. L. Hodge:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with your demand, I herewith transfer to the B. L. Hodge, the "champion horns" that the Lafourche has so long and proudly worn.

Your boat has fairly won and is entitled to wear them until their legend "win and wear me" is accomplished by some other boat.

Yours truly, J. J. BROWN,
Captain steamer Lafourche.

These are a magnificent pair of gilt buck horns, and were first presented to the Old Hickory nearly forty years ago by Colonel Davy Crockett, who was then in the zenith of his fame as a hunter and politician. They have since been worn and won by a long line of the crack boats navigating our Southern waters, down to the present time. For years the great ambition of our leading boatmen has been to possess the "Old Hickory" horns, as they are supposed to bring good luck to the boat wearing them, no boat having ever met with a serious accident while they were on board. The presentation drew together quite a crowd of gentlemen noted in marine circles, and the festivities of the occasion were heightened by *apropos* speeches from Edward Conery, Esq., Captain Jesse K. Bell, Captains Brown, Boardman and others, and all heartily joined in good wishes to the Hodge No. 2.

IMPORTS BY RAIL.

Pennsylvania Central R. R—Duquesne Depot.

[NOTE.—Freight received at this station via Allentown for our merchants is omitted, as it is delivered immediately upon its arrival, as per contract with teamsters.]

Scott & Gisal, 1 car grain; A B Hays, 1 do lime; Shoenberger & co, 1 do brick; W Miller & co, 60 bbls sugar 5 bags coffee; Carr & McC, 6 bxs d goods; J Dunlap, 35 pkgs tin and lead, 7 bxs h ware; B L Fahnestock & co, 11 pkgs drugs; D Haworth, 78 pkgs groceries; Knox & Orr, 17 do do; Voigt, Mahood & co, 29 bbls fruit, 4 bbls f bags; Head & Metzgar, 20 hf bbls fish; Jones & Laughlin, 144 bars iron, 4 c tea; Pittsburgh Locomotive Works, 10 bdls flues, 1 box h ware; Park, McCurdy & co, 1 do do, 30 pigs lead; J B Sneathen, 2 coils rope, 2 boxes b powder; W J Steel & Bro, 30 bxs fruit; H Rea jr, 18 bbls potatoes; F Sellers & co, 16 do oil; Schomaker & Langenheim, 5 do currants; Smith, J & co, 6 do fish; Wallace, C & co, 1 cask g ware, 1 bx gas fixtures; Wincher, H & co, 13 bbls s soda; J A Renshaw, 2 bxs canned fruit; Singer, Nimick & co, 4 casks crucibles; J Connor, 14 bbls sugar; Dauler, Close & co, 2 pcs p marble; Ex Flint Glass co, 1 bale sieves; Fahnestock, H & S, 40 pigs lead; C G Hussey & co, 25 bxs tin; Springer Harbaugh & co, 42 bars o iron; Kirkpatrick & co, 7 boxes tea; S S Marvin, 5 bbls groceries; J Mills & Sons, 3 do syrup; McElroy, 2 bales mdse; Penna Salt Manfg co, 50 bags n soda; J Wilson & Son, 3 bbls sugar; Van Gorder & S, 60 bxs fruit; Wilson & G, 25 bbls rosin; Lippley & co, 25 do n soda; J Schoonmaker & Son, 10 bbls zinc; Seitorth & co, 1 cask 1 bbl 1 keg liquor; Shipton & W, 12 bbls syrup; A Scharb, 5 cases tobacco; Armstrong, Bro & co, 160 bales c wood, 58 bbls bungs; Arbuckles & co, 61 pkgs groceries, 15 bxs pipes; Fulton, B & co, 163 coils ro; E Heazleton, 58 pkgs groceries; 5 bbls 20 hf bbls fish, 15 bxs ex logwood; Little & Baird, 36 pkgs groceries; Anderson & W, 20 casks crucibles; Fleming, & co, 40 bxs tin, 23 pkgs h ware; R E Sellers & co, 15 do drugs; W Cooper & co, 7 bbls sugar, 4 bbls syrup, 4 half chests tea, 1 cask prunes, 1 bbl currants; Schwartz & co, 10 bales gambia, 14 pkgs drugs; J S Dilworth & co, 67 pkgs groceries; Rinehart & S, 27 bxs tea, 5 bbls 1 box groceries; Harrison & E, 17 pkgs drugs; Reymer & Bros, 60 bxs catsup, 5 do pickles, 5 pkgs confections; Watt, Lang & co, 25 bbls syrup, 7 bbls sugar, 25 boxes raisins, 1 do mdse, J P Smith, 4 casks china and glass ware; J Porterfield & co, 1 bale twine, 5 bxs tea; W McKeown & Bro, 8 pkgs drugs; McCandless, J & co, 3 pkgs dry goods; S Ewart & co, 15 bbls syrup; W Frank, 50 bxs clay; Hagan & C, 7 pkgs groceries; W Haslage & co, 12 do do; E H Myers & co, 35 bbls syrup; S Reynolds & co, 10 pigs lead, 15 & 2 kegs emery; T B Young & co, 6 pcs furniture, Seibert & B, 6 pkgs s findings; S P Shriver & co, 70 co fish, 21 bbls sugar, 10 do d salt; T Anderson & co, 12 bbls paster, 4 slabs marble; Bailey, F & co, 22 pcs castings; Carter, McG & co, 10 bxs tobacco; Day & co, 3 bbls pine apples, 45 bxs fruit; G H Dauler, 8 bags hair, 2 bbls varnish; Evans, D & G, 6 bbls oil, 2 sks dry salt; Fulton & H, 4 pkgs furniture; W M Gormly, 3 bxs dry goods, 5 bbls currants; Haworth & Dewhurst, 20 hf bbls fish, 5 bxs b lard; Hostetter & S, 14 bbls sugar, 1 do terine; Holtzman & W, 7 bags hair, 2 bdls moss.

For Allegheny City.

S Bradley & Son, 3 bags 1 bbl dye stuffs; S M Becker, 2 bxs mdse; G W Campbell, 1 do hats; W Carson, 1 roll leather; S M Cummings, 1 bx paint; Dunlap & S, 5 rolls carpet; A W Erwin & co, 3 boxes dry goods; M Fire, 1 do do; S Gordon, 3 do do; J Forrest, 10 bbls sugar; W J Gibson & Son, 1 bx groceries; F W Gordes, 3 bbls oil, 1 do w lead; A Hartung, 1 bx boots and shoes; R Hay & Son, 2 bxs do do; D De Haven & Son, 2 bbls c dust; W H McClinton, 1 bx paper; L McIntosh, 1 bale leather; Moon & Bro, 23 pkgs fish; W Martin & co, 1 bx shoes; W K McClintock, 4 do mdse; A Ross, 7 bbls sugar, 24 pkgs groceries; W Ralston, 3 bbls fish; Robb & H, 2 bxs shoes; W Semple, 4 do dry goods; J N Sieman, 2 do confections; H P Schwartz & co, 5 do spring water; G Scheiein, 1 bx 1 bbl confections; Schleiper, S & co, 3 bbls molasses; W & Wells, 4 boxes p hangings; C Zeis, 1 bxs shoes; E Wright, 5 bales yarn; Wible & R, 3 hf chests tea; T Theophilus, 1 bx mdse; Thompson & Groetsinger, 1 coil carpet; Taggart & S, 2 boxes shoes; Gray & A, 3 bbls fish; Mercer & Robinson, 6 bbls sugar; E & C Maginn, 115 bbls sugar; J Craig, 4 boxes grease; Holmes, B & co, 8 do mchy; R Stevenson & co, 4 bxs tin, 1 do h ware, 12 coils wire; W Sedden, 2 half chests tea; Lindsay & McC, 11 kegs nuts and bolts; C Deiss, 11 bxs groceries.

For Birmingham.

W H Wakefield, 1 box mdse; W Schneider, 3 boxes shoes; A Schwam, 2 boxes do; G N Fisher, 1 box shoes.

For South Pittsburgh.

Snyder & D, 1 bbl liquor; F W Spreen, 1 box umbrellas, 1 roll carpet.

For West Pittsburgh.

R S Hemlup, 2 bbls pickles.

Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R.

Lewis, Oliver & Phillips, 1 box bolts; J C Wilson, 1 mowing machine and fixtures; Arbuckles & co, 38 bxs cheese; A Kirkpatrick, 24 do do; Head & M, 15 do do; Haworth & Dewhurst, 40 do do; J Connor, 15 do do; E Heazleton, 15 do do; Robinson & co, 10 do do; W H Nantener & Son, 1 car ear corn; Trinity Church, 1 car stone; W Little, 39 bxs glass flasks; Godfrey & C, 34 sks rags; Little & M, 50 bbls highwines; S Hare & Son, 4 shovel plows, 12 churns; O H Allerton, 2 hay presses, 9 bales hay; F Sellers & co, 5 tcs hams; G N Hoffstott, 4 bdls green hides; J A Graff, 1 bbl bacon; Bruggeman & O'Brian, 3 kegs apple butter, 1 do lard; H Rea, 6 bbls flour; Adams, McKee & co, 1 bbl paint; J Herdman, 1 bale collars; J & H Fairly, 223 sks oats; C Obertres 10 bbls scrap iron; T C Jenkins & Bro, 100 bbls flour; Schomaker & L, 400 sks do 200 bbls do; Logan, Gregg & co, cask hinges; Watt, Lang & co, 15 bxs cheese; Lemon & Weise, 2 do wood in shape; Davis, G & D, 1 bbl varnish; Rankin & W, 4 ice chests, 1 bath tub, 1 refrigerator; G J Jones, 150 bbls flour; J & J Kelly, 100 do do; Culp & Sheppard, 209 do do; E Heazleton, 50 do do; Meanor & Harper, 400 sks do; J R Weldin, 13 bxs ink; W A Gildenfenney, 10 do do; H Miner, 17 bxs ink; W Cooper, 36 do do; Hoffman & H, 1 do mdse; W M'Cully & co, 1 do glass; Watt, Lang & co, 25 cases lard, 10 bbls lard oil; Lippincott & B, 2 bxs axes; J A Renshaw, 2 bbls crackers; J Porterfield & co, 3 do do; Singer, Nimick & co, 7 slabs steel; Hubbard Bros & co, 1 case saws; G A Kelly, 1 bbl grease; Hostetter & Smith, 43 do spirits; J H Parker, 2 273 pcs c s shoulders; Bakewell, Pears & co, 250 pigs lead.

Allegheny Station.

Ewer, Hamilton & co, 1 car flax seed; R T Kennedy & Bro, 4 cars wheat; Ralya & R, 1 car stone; Lindsay & McCutcheon, 1 car metal; Rogers & B, 1 do do; J Burnal, 1 car shingles; Owens & Kennedy, 31 bbls apples; Frazier & 112 bdls paper.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.

Morrison & Devol, 19 kegs molasses; Lewis, Oliver & Phillips, 4 thimble skeins 1 steam engine and fixtures; S Harbaugh & co, 13 bdls g hides, 4 do dry; H Rea, 10 bbls flax seed; W W Wallace, 70 bbls cement; Little & Baird, 25 bxs cheese; J B Dorrington, agent, 5 cars rails; F Kirsch, 2 bdls gal sheet iron; Bruggeman & O'Brian, 16 sks potatoes; W G Miller, 1 car oats; W McKim & co, 158 sks do; Voigt, Mahood & co, 2 bbls apples, 1 sk dried do, 330 bush potatoes; J G Rumpus, 3 bdls cabs; S Davidson, 40 bbls white lime; R A Clarke, 8,000 ft lumber; Hamilton, A A & co, 8,000 do do; C Freshwater, 1 anvil.

Allegheny Station.

W Peoples, 1 car lumber; J Shearer, 1 do staves; J Kohen, 3 sks beans; A Milliden, 3 bales tow; F Beckfer, 1 tub cheese; Beckfield & Mehouse, 1 bx do.

Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis R. R.

J W Simpson, 1 car corn; Mullen & Maloney, 1 car scrap iron; W M Gormly, 3 hf bbls fish; P Considine, 3 bbls 1 bx scrap iron; Van Gorder & Shepard, 49 sacks potatoes; Knable & Pickings, 1 keg a butter; F Schild, 20 sks barley; 30 do oats; R & A Carson, 20 bxs candles; J G Derth, 3 bbls whisky; Watt, Lang & co, 10 tierces hams; Eagle cotton Mills, 74 bales cotton; G Mitchell, 10 tcs hams; W Hastings, 2 car staves; S Ewart & co, 120 hf bbls whisky; H McSwigen, 5 bbls whisky; N Grerser, 4 do do; Munhall & McGraw, 6 do do, 1 basket wine; J Lippincott, 5 bbls lard oil; A McClure, 2 coils rope Little & Mechling, 10 bbls charcoal; Pretsfield Bro, 13 caddies tobacco; T J Blackmore, 8 do do; J H Parker, 12 tcs hams; John McDavitt, 10 boxes candles.

Allegheny Valley R. R.

Fisher Bros, 2,560 bbls crude oil; Commercial Oil Works, 480 do do; Petrolite Oil Works, 1,040 do do; Waring & King, 320 do do; R T Leech, 480 do do; Citizens' Oil Works, 480 do do; Martin, Brickell & co, 1 car grain; D L Reynolds, 1 do lime; Voigt, Mahood & co, 2 bbls eggs, 2 do butter; Graham & M, 26 sks oats; Shoenberger, Blair & co, 5 cars limestone; Scott & G, 139 sks grain; Various Consignees, 15 bbls eggs, Kiel & R, 147 sks oats; Shipton & W, 24 do do.

Pittsburgh & Connellsville R. R.

R R Palmer, 1 car fire brick; Baute & co, 1 do stone; Little & Mechling, 1 hf bbl vinegar, W Welsh, 75 bags feed, 10 bls flour; C B Leech, 225 bbls cement; C P Markle & co, 100 bdls paper; Evans & co, 1 steam boiler; Bricker & co, 2 bbls vinegar; Arbuckles, 5 bbls do; S A. English, 2 bbls oil; Geo Albre, 75 bbls cement; J H Hamilton & Sons, 2 bdls leather.

Glass Manufacturers' Imports.

W McCully & Co	70 casks soda ash
W Frank	11 casks soda ash
Melling, Estep & Co	2 car sand.
Page, Zellers & Duff	1 car sand.
W McCully & Co	1 car lime.
Melling, Estep & Co	1 car lime.

Receipts of Pig Metal, Blooms and Ore.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co, metal	40	Hallman & H. b	5
Bryan & Caughey, m	4	Lloyd & Black, m	1
Total			50

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Nimick & Co, metal	15	Bryan & Caughey, m	1
J Moorhead, metal	6	J Reamer, metal	3
J W Porter, metal	4	McIntosh, H & Co, m	1
Total			36

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

Zug & co, ore	2	Bryan & Caughey, o	1
Total			3

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

J Moorhead, metal	2

Pig Iron Receipts Per River.

Nimick & Co	95 tons	J Moorhead	10 tons

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Pittsburgh, Brownsville and Geneva Packet Co.

J L Moorhouse, 3 bbls whisky; J Moorhead, 10 tons metal; W H Holmes, 86 bbls whisky; W H Naunther & Son, 95 sks oats; P Duff & Son, 95 do do.

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 22, 1869.

NOTICE.

The assessment for the Boardwalk on Pearl street, from Main to Laurel street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until JUNE 2nd, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's Office for collection.

H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 21, 1869.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR THE BOARDWALK ON FIFTH AVENUE,

From Brady street to Murphy street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until TUESDAY, June 1st, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's Office for collection.

H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 21, 1869.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENTS FOR GRADING AND PAVING SMALLMAN ALLEY,

From Hazel to Clark street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this Office until TUESDAY, June 1st, when it will be returned to the City Treasurer's Office for collection.

H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 25th, 1869.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR Grading, Paving and Curbing Center street, from Forty fourth to Forty-fifth street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until FRIDAY, JUNE 4TH, When it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 26, 1869.

NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS

For the Construction of a Boardwalk,

On the road from Lawrenceville Station on the Pennsylvania Railroad, to Minersville.

Also, one on Elm street (Bloomfield) from Main street to the Pennsylvania Railroad, will be received at this Office until TUESDAY, June 1st, 1869.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

H. J. MOORE, CITY ENGINEER.

LEGAL.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.—Whereas Letters of Administration upon the estate of JOSEPH LYNCH, late of the Borough of McKeesport, Allegheny county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment of the same, and all persons having claims against the estate will present them to them for settlement.

N. A. LYNCH, Administrator,
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THE FINE PASSENGER Steamer KENTON, W. H. Kerr, Commander, Wm. ANDERSON, Clerk, will leave as announced above.

For Freight or Passage apply on Board or to JOHN FLACK, Agent.

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WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY AT 12 M.

THE SPLENDID PASSENGER Steamer GREY EAGLE, Capt. C. L. BRENNAN, will leave as announced above.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, or BARNES & COLLINS, Agents.

MUSKINGUM RIVER PACKET LINE.

For Wheeling, Marietta and Zanesville.

Leaves Pittsburgh Every TUESDAY—4 P. M.
Leaves Zanesville Every FRIDAY—8 A. M.

THE NEW AND SPLENDID Passenger Steamer JULIA No. 2, Captain Wm. COULSON, will leave as announced above.

For Freight or Passage apply on Board, or to GHREIST, SWANEY & CO., Agents.

LOUISVILLE.

For Cincinnati and Louisville.

THIS DAY, June 1—4 P. M.

THE FINE PASSENGER Steamer KATE PUTNAM, Captain GEO. W. REED, will leave as announced above.

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ST. PAUL.

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THIS DAY, June 1—12 M.

THE NEW AND ELEGANT PASSENGER PACKET

GLENDALE,

JOHN M. HARE......Master,

Will leave as announced above.

For Freight or Passage apply on Board.

For St. Louis, Galena, Dubuque and St. Paul.

WEDNESDAY, June 2—4 P. M.

THE FINE PASSENGER Steamer ARMADILLO, A. MCCARTY, commander, will leave as announced above.

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TUESDAY, June 1—4 P. M.

THE NEW AND STAUNCH built Steamer MATAMORAS No. 2, Capt. R. DALZELL, will leave as announced above.

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THROUGH TRAINS.

	Departs.	Arrives.
Mail	2:08 a m	12:13 p m
Fast Line	9:43 a m	7:13 p m
Express	2:33 p m	4:33 a m

ACCOMMODATION TRAINS.

	Departs.	Arrives.
Mixed Accomod'n	5:33 a m	6:58 p m
M'Donald Accommod'n	11:43 a m	8:18 a m
Steubenville Accomod'n	3:58 p m	9:33 a m
M'Donald Accommod'n	5:18 p m	3:18 p m
Sunday Church Train	12:58 p m	9:58 a m

The 2:33 p m train will leave daily. The 12:13 p m train will arrive daily. All other trains will run daily, Sundays excepted.

The 9:43 a m train makes close connections at Newark for Zanesville.

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On and after MONDAY, May 3d, 1869, two through Trains daily (except Sunday), will leave Pittsburgh Depot, corner Eleventh and Pike streets, for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo, and all points in the Oil Regions.

Leave Pittsburgh.		Arrive at Pittsburgh.	
Day Express	8:00 a m	Day Express	5:15 p m
Night Express	7:30 p m	Night Express	6:30 a m
Brady's B'd Ac	3:15 p m	Brady's B'd Ac	10:15 a m
1st Soda Works Accom'n	9:45 a m	1st Soda Works	7:40 a m
2d Soda Works Accom'n	6:30 p m	2d Soda Works	6:15 p m
1st Hulton Ac	6:45 a m	1st Hulton	8:50 a m
2d Hulton Ac	12:00 m	2d Hulton	2:00 p m
3d Hulton Ac	11:00 p m	3d Hulton	1:05 a m
Arnold's Ac	5:00 p m	Arnold's Ac	7:40 p m

Church Train to and from Soda Works, (Sundays) leaves 1:10 p m; arrives 9:50 a m.

Express Trains stop only at principal points. Accommodation Trains stop at all stations.

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THOS. M. KING, Asst. Supt.

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From April 26th, 1869, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, north side, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Chicago Ex	2:08 a m	Chicago Ex	1:58 a m
Erie & Ygn Ex	7:28 a m	Chicago Ex	12:03 p m
Cl. & Whg Mail	6:13 a m	Wheeling Ex	10:48 a m
Chicago Mail	6:58 a m	St. Lou's Ex	7:08 p m
Chicago Ex	9:43 a m	Chic. Ex. & Mail	4:08 p m
Cl. & Whg Ex	2:08 p m	Cleveland Ex	3:53 p m
Chicago Ex	2:23 p m	Erie & Ygn Ex	5:58 p m
W'lle & Erie Ex	4:38 p m	Cl. & Whg Ex	6:53 p m
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac	8:58 a m	Leetsdale Ac	6:58 a m
Leetsdale Ac	10:03 a m	Beaver Falls Ac	8:28 a m
Leetsdale Ac	11:58 a m	New Castle Ac	10:23 a m
Rochester Ac	1:28 p m	Enon Ac	9:13 a m
Enon Ac	3:58 p m	Leetsdale Ac	1:08 p m
Leetsdale Ac	5:13 p m	Beaver Falls Ac	2:43 p m
Beaver Falls Ac	6:13 p m	Leetsdale Ac	4:33 p m
Leetsdale Ac	10:43 p m	Leetsdale Ac	7:23 p m
Fair Oaks, Sunday Church	1:13 p m	Fair Oaks, Sunday Church	9:58 a m

2:23 p m Chicago Express will leave daily.
12:03 p m Chicago Express arrives daily.

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PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.—On and after APRIL 25, 1869, Trains arrive at and depart from the Union Depot, corner of Washington and Liberty streets, as follows:

ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Mail Train	1:25 a m	Day Express	2:15 a m
Fast Line	1:45 a m	Southern Ex	4:50 a m
Wall's No. 1	6:20 a m	Wall's No. 1	6:30 a m
Brinton Ac	7:50 a m	Mail Train	8:15 a m
Wall's No. 2	8:50 a m	Homewood Ac No. 1	10:20 a m
Cincinnati Ex	9:10 a m	Cincinnati Ex*	12:30 a m
Homewood Ac No. 1	1:10 p m	Wall's No. 2	11:51 a m
Johnstown Ac	10:35 a m	Johnstown Ac	3:05 p m
Pittsburgh Ex	1:30 p m	Braddock's Ac	3:40 p m
Phila. Exp	1:50 p m	Phila. Exp	4:20 p m
Wall's No. 3	2:50 p m	Wall's Ac No. 3	4:50 p m
Braddock's Acc	5:50 p m	Wall's Ac No. 4	6:05 p m
Homewood Ac No. 2	9:35 p m	Fast Line*	7:30 p m
Wall's No. 4	7:20 p m	Homewood Ac No 2	8:20 p m
Way Passenger and Emg't'r'n	10:20 p m	Wall's No. 5	11:00 p m

*These trains make close connections at Harrisburg for Baltimore.

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:05 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:05 a. m. Returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:10 p. m.

Cincinnati Express leaves daily. All other Trains daily except Sunday.

For further information apply to W. H. BECKWITH, Agent.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will not assume any Risk for Baggage, except for Wearing Apparel, and limit their responsibility to One Hundred Dollars in value. All baggage exceeding that amount in value, will be at the risk of the owner, unless taken by special contract.

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WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—On and after APRIL 25, 1869, the Passenger Trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will arrive at and depart from the Federal Street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows:

Arrive.		Depart.	
Springdale Ac. No. 1	6:40 a m	Mail	7:00 a m
Freeport Ac. No. 1	8:20 a m	Freeport Ac. No. 1	9:20 a m
Express	10:40 a m	Sharpsburg Ac 1	12:50 p m
Sharpsburg Ac. No. 1	1:20 p m	Express	2:30 p m
Freeport Ac. No. 2	4:00 p m	Springdale Ac. No. 1	3:30 p m
Mail	5:50 p m	Freeport Ac. No. 2	5:20 p m
Springdale Ac. No. 2	6:20 p m	Springdale Ac. No. 2	6:30 p m

Above Trains run daily except Sunday.

The Church Train leaves Allegheny Junction every Sunday at 7:40 A. M., reaching Allegheny City at 9:50 A. M. Returning leaves Allegheny City at 1:20 P. M., and arrives at Allegheny Junction at 3:40 P. M.

Commutation Tickets for sale in packages of twenty, between Allegheny City, Chestnut street, Herr's, Bennett's, Pine Creek, Etna and Sharpsburg, and good only on the Trains stopping at Stations specified on Tickets.

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Pittsburgh	12:30 p m	In New York	6:00 a m
Pittsburgh	4:20 p m	In New York	9:45 a m
Pittsburgh	2:30 p m	In New York	11:15 a m
Pittsburgh	2:15 a m	In New York	6:45 p m

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Leave		Arrive	
New York	9:00 a m	In Pittsburgh	1:45 a m
New York	5:05 p m	In Pittsburgh	9:10 a m
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On and after TUESDAY, Nov. 17, 1868, the Trains will leave the Depot, corner Grant and Water streets, as follows:

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Mail to and from Uniontown	7:00 a m	6:00 p m
M'Keesport Accommodation	11:00 a m	2:00 p m
Express to and from Uniontown	3:00 p m	10:10 a m
West Newton Accommodat'n	4:30 p m	8:35 a m
Braddock's Accommodation	6:15 p m	7:35 p m
Night Accommodation to McKeesport	10:30 p m	6:45 a m
Sunday Church Train to and from West Newton	1:00 p m	10:00 a m

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CITY MATTERS.

CITY COUNCILS.

Monthly Meeting—Three Members of the Board of Health Elected—The Turnpike Companies—An Ordinance for the Issue of Bonds to the amount of $500,000 to pay the City's Indebtedness—The Site for a Market House—The Water Commission Bill—The Connellsville Railroad Want a Western Outlet—Resolution of Thanks—An Inspector of Buildings—Street Ordinances—Iron Clad Buildings—Retrenchment and Reform—Miscellaneous Business.

City Councils held a regular monthly meeting on Monday afternoon, May 31, 1869.

SELECT COUNCIL.

JAMES McAULEY, - - - - - - President.
E. S. MORROW, - - - - - - Clerk.

The Council was called to order by the CLERK promptly at two o'clock, and on motion of Mr. KIRK Mr. BURGWIN was called to the chair.

The CLERK then called the roll but it appeared there was no quorum present.

The PRESIDENT then announced that in accordance with the resolution adopted at the last meeting, the Council would wait fifteen minutes, and if it then appeared there was no quorum, the Council would stand adjourned. At a quarter past two o'clock the roll was again called, and the following members answered to their names: Messrs. Ahl, Ahlborn, Armstrong, Burgwin, Coffin, Craig, Dickson, Gallaher, Gross, Hailman, Hartman, Holmes, Jones, Kane, Kehew, Kirk, Laufman, Littell, Lloyd, Morrow, Murdoch, Murray, McClelland, McEwen, McMahon, Ogden, Phillips, Rafferty, Rees, Schmidt, Scully, Shipton, Torrens, Wainwright, S. J., Wainwright, Z., Watson, White, Wilson and Zern.

When the minutes of the previous meeting were read, Mr. AHLBORN moved to amend them where they referred to Irwin's alley, Fifteenth ward, after which they were approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

The CLERK read a communication from A. L. Pearson, Esq., Secretary of the Board of Health, requesting Councils to proceed to the election of three members of the Board.

On motion of Mr. GALLAHER the communication was received and filed.

Mr. MORROW moved that Council go into an election. Carried.

Mr. GALLAHER moved that the Clerk notify Common Council that the Select would be ready to go into joint session at four o'clock. Carried.

REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON WOODEN BUILDINGS.

The PRESIDENT read the report of the Wooden Building Committee, in which they refused all applications for privilege to erect wooden or iron clad buildings excepting that of Anderson, Wood & Co. The committee recommended the election of an Inspector of Buildings.

The report was accepted and ordered to be filed.

Mr. KIRK moved that the City Solicitor be instructed to draw up an ordinance providing for the election of an Inspector of Buildings. Carried.

THE PLANK ROAD COMPANIES—REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Mr. GALLAHER presented the report of the special committee appointed to confer with the Directors of the different turnpike companies, in reference to the purchase of the same. The report is as follows:

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

GENTLEMEN—The special committee appointed to confer with the several turnpike and plankroad companies would respectfully report that at an interview had with Mr. Scully, the sequestrator of the Braddocks Field Plankroad Company, he stated that there were judgments against the company which would have to be paid before the sequestrator could transfer the road to the city, nor could he promise that any of this amount would be expended in improving the remainder of the road. Yet if the consent of Court could be obtained he was willing to transfer the road to the city without cost, provided it would immediately widen and grade the road at the expense of the property owners along the line of the road. Your committee would suggest the acceptance of the latter proposition, and that as soon as proper legislation can be secured or the consent of the property owners along the line of the road obtained, the road be opened and graded.

That your committee met with Hon. Thomas M. Howe, Isaac Jones and Mr. Semple, Committee from the Farmers' and Mechanics Turnpike Company, who at the request of the Chairman of your Committee (Mr. Gallaher) submitted the accompanying statement showing the condition of the road at this time.

Following is a recapitulation of the statement:

Amount expended for construction...	$ 80,323 62
Value of franchises...	40,000 00
	$120,323 62

They decline to enter into any agreement for the sale of the road to the city at any sum less than $60,000, the amount awarded by the Commission at the assessment, and should the city agree to purchase the road at that price, they will insist on its also assuming the part of the road in its agreement between it and the Pittsburgh and East Liberty Passenger Railway Company, in which the road company, in consideration of the sum of nine hundred dollars per annum, paid by the railway company, agreed to keep the road in order. The Road Company seemed not to be desirous of selling the road. The Council Committee would suggest that the road be allowed to remain in the hands of the present company.

The report was accepted and filed.

THE BRADDOCK'S FIELD PLANK ROAD.

Mr. PHILLIPS moved that the committee be continued, and that they be instructed to close the bargain for the Braddock's Field plank road. Adopted.

THE FARMERS AND MECHANICS' TURNPIKE.

Mr. HAILMAN moved that the Council disapprove of the recommendation of the committee in reference to the Farmers and Mechanics' Turnpike, and that the committee be instructed to purchase said turnpike at the sum assessed by the commission appointed for the purpose.

Mr. JONES moved to lay the motion on the table. Carried.

Mr. GALLAHER moved to approve the recommendation.

Mr. SCULLY moved that the report be referred to the City Solicitor with instructions to report the liability of the city to purchase the road at the value assessed, the company owning it not having appealed therefrom.

Mr. GALLAHER moved to lay the motion on the table. Withdrawn.

Mr. SCULLY'S motion then prevailed.

AN ISSUE OF $500,000 IN BONDS.

Mr. PHILLIPS presented an ordinance providing for the issue of bonds to the amount of $500,000 for the maturing of retired and retiring bonds, and moved to suspend the rules in order to pass the ordinance finally. Lost.

Mr. PHILLIPS said the above action left the city in a very awkward position. Some two thousand of the bonds were now due, and the parties owning them were threatening to bring suit.

Mr. HARTMAN moved a reconsideration of the motion to suspend the rules. Carried.

Mr. MORROW moved that the ordinance now pass finally.

Mr. GROSS asked if the bonds were to pay any of the separate indebtedness of the old wards.

Mr. PHILLIPS explained that they were not, but to pay the indebtedness of the city entire.

The ordinance then passed, finally.

REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON MARKETS—THE LYNN PROPERTY.

Mr. McEWEN, chairman of the Committee on Markets, presented a report from that Committee, as follows:

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

GENTLEMEN: In accordance with a resolution of Councils directing this Committee to make a selection for a new market house for the upper and outer wards of the city, beg leave to report that they have personally gone over the district for whose benefit the selection is proposed to be made, and have examined all the locations that were presumed to be adapted to the purpose, and after having fully and we believe fairly canvassed the advantages and disadvantages of each location, have resolved to recommend the purchase of the location known as the Lyon property, fronting 247 feet five inches on Pennsylvania avenue and extending back along Miltenberger street. This property is composed of three tiers of lots of ten lots each, the first tier fronting on Pennsylvania avenue and extending back 120 feet to an alley, and the second tier extending from said alley to Forbes street, the two tiers making a lot over 240 feet square. The first tier will cost $35,000 and the second $30,000.

Your Committee would urge the purchase of the tier of lots fronting on Pennsylvania avenue for the immediate use of a market house, and would recommend the purchase of the second tier fronting on Forbes street for future use.

The purchase, under agreement with the parties in interest, will be made on a credit of seven years, with interest.

Resolutions authorizing the purchase of the above ground accompanied the report.

Mr. WHITE presented a petition for the location of the market house at Fifth avenue, Stephenson and Forbes street.

Mr. PHILLIPS said the Council could do nothing in reference to this matter until additional legislation was procured.

On motion of Mr. HOLMES, the report and petition were accepted and filed.

Mr. McEWEN then moved to adopt the first resolution.

Mr. PHILLIPS said he hoped the resolution would not pass: he was in favor of the market house, but the city had no power to make such an improvement without additional legislation. The city had to procure legislation to pay its indebtedness, and it would certainly require legislation to make the contemplated improvement.

Mr. WATSON moved to lay the resolution on the table. Lost.

Mr. GROSS moved that the report and petition be printed. Not entertained.

Mr. McEWEN moved to suspend the rules in order to have it read a second time. Withdrawn.

Mr. PHILLIPS moved that the Committee be instructed to close the contract for the Lyon property, providing it can be purchased legally and without legislation.

The rules were suspended and the resolution passed with the above understanding.

THE WATER COMMISSION BILL—THE REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

The PRESIDENT read the report of the special committee appointed to ascertain what changes had been made in the bill establishing a Board of Water Commissioners, and by whom such changes were effected. The report stated that the committee had been unable to procure a copy of the bill as passed by Councils, but that the chief and only radical change in the bill was in the constitution of the Board. The bill as passed in Council provided for the election of one Councilman from each ward—twenty-three in all—as the Commissioners, one-third, to retire annually. It was changed in Legislature to nine members—said members to be appointed by Councils from the citizens at large—the term of office to be nine years, one member going out annually. The bill fixed the term of office of the chief of the department at three years, or during good behavior, whereas Councils fixed it during good behavior. Mr. Russell Errett, Senator from this county, procured the change in the first section, naming nine citizens (by whom selected we cannot say) as constituting the Board, and as thus amended the bill passed the Senate. When the bill reached the House, it refused to concur and ultimately the names were stricken out. The number was not changed, however, and the bill passed finally. The committee express entire ignorance as to what prompted Mr. Errett's action; it only knows that openly and avowedly he had assumed the responsibility of changing the action of Councils. They invited the Senator to be present, but he declined. In some *important* details the bill is not what the Councils would like to have it, yet substantially the same object may be attained. The Solicitor advised the committee that although the bill contained many inaccuracies there was no obstacle to prevent the organization of the Board.

The Committee reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Governor be requested to approve and sign the bill now in his hands creating the Board of Water Commissioners and to provide for the control of the same, and that a Joint Committee of Councils be appointed to present the wishes of Councils in this matter to the Governor.

Mr. PHILLIPS moved to adopt the resolution.

Mr. HOLMES moved that the report lay over for the present, and that the business be taken up in the usual order. Carried.

THE CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.

Mr. HOLMES presented a petition from the President of the Connellsville Railroad Company, in reference to the passage of an ordinance granting the company the right of way over Cherry alley, in order to effect western connections. Referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Also, a petition from leading business men in reference to the same matter. Same reference.

WIDENING OF MILL STREET.

Mr. GROSS, a petition for the widening of Mill street, Nineteenth ward, from Greensburg turnpike to Hoeveller street to the width of forty-five feet; and providing also that the name of the street be changed to that of Collins avenue.

An ordinance providing for the same accompanied, and was read a third time and passed finally.

CHANGE OF GRADE.

Mr. McEWEN, a petition for a change of grade on Duncan street and requesting that the old grade be restored. Referred to the Street Committee.

Councils then went into joint session.

IRON CLAD BUILDINGS.

On returning to their Chamber, Select Council came to order and Mr. AHL presented a petition accompanied by an ordinance giving Hussey, Wells & Co. the privilege of erecting an iron clad building in the Tenth ward.

The petition was accepted and the ordinance passed finally.

A ROAD IN THE TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

Mr. MURDOCH presented a petition for the opening of a road in the Twenty-second ward. Referred to the Committee on Surveys.

PETITIONS.

Mr. ARMSTRONG, a petition for the opening of a street in the Twelfth ward. Referred to the Street Committee.

Mr. AHLBORN, a petition for the laying of water and gas pipes on Twenty-Ninth between Butler street and the Allegheny river. Referred to the Gas Committee.

Mr. WATSON, a petition for a road in the Fifteenth ward. Referred to Survey Committee.

Mr. RAFFERTY, a petition from the resident of No. 166, Pennsylvania avenue, requesting Councils to pay the sum of twenty dollars for damages incurred by the draining of the water on the Pennsylvania avenue sewer, by which the water ran into the cellar of complainant. Referred to the Finance Committee with power to act.

PAVING OF APPLE ALLEY.

Mr. WHITE, an ordinance providing for the grading and paving of Apple alley. Read three times and passed finally.

REPORT OF THE GAS COMMITTEE.

Mr. SHIPTON presented the report of the Gas Committee as follows: The petitions for public lamps at various points were considered, and the committee recommend the erection of lamps at the following locations: One on corner of Bedford avenue and Gum street; one on corner of Bedford avenue and Roberts street; one on corner of Bedford avenue and Cassatt street; one on corner of Bedford avenue and Ledlie street; one midway between Cassett and Ledlie streets; one on corner of Fourteenth street and Mulberry alley; one on corner of Diamond street and Scrip alley, one at end of Main on Vine street.

The Committee further recommend the removal of the lamp at the corner of Caldwell and Vine streets to the line of the curb on Vine street; also, the removal of a lamp on east side of Wood street, between Fifth avenue and Virgin alley, to the west side of said street, midway between Fifth avenue and Virgin alley.

Accepted, and the lamps mentioned ordered.

RESOLUTION CALLED UP.

Mr. PHILLIPS called up the resolution reported in the report of the special committee on the Water Commission bill.

Mr. McCLELLAND moved to lay the resolution on the table. Withdrawn in order to permit discussion.

Mr. HAILMAN said the question now was a supply of water or no water. The supply we now have may be sufficient for the old wards, but it is not sufficient to supply the extreme limits of the pipes now laid. The present works can not be increased by the first bill authorizing the issue of bonds to the amount of a million dollars, and only by the bill sent to the Legislature of 1868. Whatever our legislators had done should receive no consideration now; they could be attended to hereafter. The bill ought to be accepted, and the work of erecting the works, &c., proceeded with, and then if changes were necessary they could be procured next fall.

Mr. KIRK was opposed to accepting the bill, and was in favor of allowing the responsibility to rest where it properly belonged, with Senator Errett or those back of him. He was highly gratified with the report of the committee.

Mr. PHILLIPS (Mr. Murray in the chair) stated that he had favored the bill as it had first been introduced into Councils; that he had been at Harrisburg during the session of the Legislature of 1868, but, by way of explanation, would say that he had not in any way interfered with the bill.

Mr. BURGWIN thought it was very unbecoming in a member or Senator to interfere with the action of Council, but the question now was, "Would the city accept the bill, or let the work go over for another year." He urged the acceptance of the bill, and then, if the Council saw fit, they could pass resolutions of censure hereafter.

Mr. LITTELL said the Committee had ascertained the name of the Senator who introduced the changes, and if any member could give the names of the persons who had their names inserted in the bill as the Commissioners he would be satisfied.

Mr. HARTMAN (Mr. BURGWIN in the Chair,) said the Committee, in their resolution, requested the Councils to repudiate their former action, but he, for one, would not vote for the resolution requesting the Governor to sign the bill.

Mr. McMAHON moved to adjourn. Lost.

Mr. GROSS said that a resolution of censure or some rebuke should be passed, but the question of water involved the health of the citizens, and the bill ought to be accepted.

Mr. SHIPTON moved that a special day be appointed for the consideration of the bill.

The question was then called for and the yeas and nays resulted as follows;

AYES—Messrs. Ahlborn, Armstrong, Burgwin, Craig, Gross, Hailman, Holmes, Littell, Lloyd, Morrow, Murdoch, McEwen, Ogden, Phillips, Rees, Schmidt, Scully, Shipton, Torrens, Watson, White—Total 21.

NAYS—Messrs. Ahl, Coffin, Dickson, Hartman, Kane, Kehew, Kirk, Laufman, McClelland, McMahon, Rafferty, Wainwright, S. J., Wainwright, Z., Zern—Total, 14.

The remaining portion of the resolution was adopted, and Messrs. Holmes and Gross appointed on said committee.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

Mr. KIRK offered a resolution thanking Gov. Geary for withholding his signature to the Water Commission bill, until the wishes of Council were ascertained, and instructing the officers of the Council to inform the Governor of the fact.

RESOLUTION OF CENSURE.

Mr. ARMSTRONG offered the following:

Resolved, That the action of the Hon. Russell Errett, in amending the Water Commission bill in a point whereon the Councils had taken a direct vote, and approved by an overwhelming majority; and also, adhering and insisting on his amendments when the bill was imperilled, merits and deserves the censure of this body, and that the Clerk be instructed to inform him of the passage of this resolution, and express our dissatisfaction with his course in this matter.

Pending the adoption of the resolution, Council adjourned.

Select Council did not reach any of the business of Common Council.

COMMON COUNCIL.

W. A. TOMLINSON..................President.
H. McMASTER..................Clerk.

The CLERK called the roll, when the following members answered as present. Messrs. Albeitz, Anderson, Barr, Barton Batchelor, Bell, Berger, Black, Boggs Booth, Bulger, Carroll, Case, Caskey, Chislett, Daub, Dunseath, Gerner, Gildenfenney, Houston, Jahn, Jones, McCandless, McCarthy, McClaren, McKelvy, McMasters, Mesnor, Moore, Moorhead, Morgan, Morton, Nixon, Palmer, Pearson, Penney, Potts, Rebman, Reed, Rook, Rosewell, Sims, Scott, Verner, Vick, Waughter, Weldon, Welsh, Wilson, and President Tomlinson.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

NEPTUNE FIRE CO.

Mr. SIMS presented the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Engines and Hose be instructed to inquire as to the disposition of the money in the hands of the Treasurer of the Neptune Fire Company, and report to next meeting of Councils.

Referred to Committee on Fire Engines.

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS.

Mr. McCLARREN presented the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Ordinances be requested to prepare and report an ordinance for the appointment of an Inspector of Buildings.

Mr. McCLARREN moved to refer the resolution to the Ordinance Committee.

Mr. HOUSTON moved that it be referred to a Special Committee of three.

Mr. ROOK moved a further amendment to refer to the City Solicitor.

Mr. McCANDLESS moved the indefinite suspension of the whole subject. Not agreed to.

Mr. HOUSTON accepted Mr. ROOK'S amendment, to refer to a Special Committee of three, in conjunction with the Solicitor, and in this shape the motion passed.

The PRESIDENT appointed Messrs. McCLARREN and HOUSTON as members of the Special Committee on the part of Common Council.

NICOLSON ON PENN STREET.

Mr. WELDON presented a petition for paving Penn street, from Third to Fifth street, with Nicolson pavement.

Referred to Street Committee.

DINWIDDIE STREET.

Mr. WELDON presented a petition for the opening of Dinwiddie street, from northern terminus to Liberty street. Accepted and ordered to be filed.

PETITION FOR TRANS-WAY.

Mr. WELDON, petition asking for privilege to Messrs. Walker, Slocum & Co. to put a trans-way across Second avenue, opposite their sand works.

Referred to Street Committee.

Also, an ordinance granting the privilege asked, which, on motion of Mr. Rook, was referred to the Street Committee.

MILTENBERGER STREET SEWER.

Mr. CASE presented a report of the Committee on Appeals from City Assessments, with the following resolution.

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be instructed to proceed with the collection of the Miltenberger street sewer assessments. Adopted.

GAS LAMPS.

Mr. REBMAN, a petition for a gas lamp on the corner of Hazlet and Smallman streets! Referred to Committee on Gas.

Mr. McCANDLESS, the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Streets be requested to examine Wylie extension, at Arthurs street, as to the practicability and necessity of changing the grade, thereby relieving the grade on both streets.

Referred to Street Committee.

IRON CLAD BUILDINGS.

Mr. McKELVY presented a communication from Messrs. Wm. McCully & Co., asking for permission to erect iron clad buildings at their factories, at the corner of Liberty and Sixteenth streets, and at the corner of Twenty-second street and Mulbury alley.

Also, an ordinance granting Wm. McCully & Co. power to erect iron clad buildings.

The ordinance was discussed, and on motion to lay on the table was lost.

Mr. McCANDLESS moved to refer to the communication and ordinance to the Committee on Wooden Buildings. Adopted.

SHADY LANE.

Mr. BARTON, a petition of property owners on Shady Lane, remonstrating against widening the street to sixty feet.

Referred to Survey Committee.

PETITION FOR WATER.

Mr. WAUGHTER, petition for water pipe on Mahon street, from Kirkpatrick street, two hundred feet east of Soho street.

Referred to Water Committee.

GAS LAMPS.

Mr. WELSH the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Gas be requested to have three lamps erected on Smallman street, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, and three on Spruce alley, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets.

Referred to Gas Committee.

RIGHT OF WAY FOR CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD COMPANY.

Mr. PENNEY presented a petition, numerously signed by prominent business firms and others, asking Councils to grant to the Connellsville Railroad Co., favorable facilities for passing over the city to connect with other roads.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

REPORT OF THE STREET COMMITTEE.

Mr. WELDON, Chairman of the Street Committee, presented the following:

Gentlemen: Your Committee on Streets report the following ordinances:

For grading and paving Twenty-seventh street.
For opening Hatfield street.
For grading and paving Willow street.
For grading and paving Spring alley.
For opening Valley street.
For grading and paving Pleasant alley.
For grading and paving Twenty-ninth street,
For grading and paving Forbes street.
For grading and paving Snowden alley, from Chestnut to Magee.

They would also report with regard to resolution instructing them to inquire into the condition of so much of Penn street as is traversed by the Citizens' Passenger Railway Company that the work is progressing satisfactorily under the supervision of the Street Committee.

The committee also report an ordinance for increasing the salary of the Street Commissioner of the Third District from one thousand to twelve hundred dollars.

The report was accepted, and the following action was taken on the ordinances:

For grading and paving Twenty-seventh street; passed.
For opening Hatfield street; passed.
For grading and paving Willow street; laid over.
For grading and paving Spring alley; laid over.
For opening Valley street; laid over.
For grading and paving Pleasant alley; laid over.
For grading and paving Twenty-ninth street; passed.
For grading and paving Forbes street, from Chestnut to Magee; laid over.
For grading and paving Snowden alley; laid over.

The ordinance to increase the compensation of the Street Commissioner of the Third District, Mr. Hosack, from one thousand to twelve hundred dollars, was read.

Mr. MORGAN objected to the ordinance, and cited the provision of the consolidation act, which prohibits the increase of the salary of any city officer, which has been fixed by Councils, during the term for which he has been elected.

Mr. McCARTHY and Mr. SCOTT contended that the salary of Mr. Hosack had never been fixed, and that it was understood at the outset that his salary should be fixed at twelve hundred dollars.

Mr. MORGAN moved to refer the ordinance to the City Solicitor for his opinion as to the legality of the ordinance. Adopted.

SURVEY COMMITTEE.

Mr. CHISLETT, Chairman of the Survey Committee, presented profiles of grades of streets in the Sixteenth ward; plan of Hazlett street; and plan of streets through the Roup farm, Twentieth ward.

Report accepted and profiles and plans approved.

THE DOG QUESTION.

Mr. HOUSTON presented an ordinance in relation to dogs running at large in the city, which was read, amended, and finally passed.

RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM.

Mr. McCARTHY called for a report from the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform. He feared that the Committee had not been attending to their duties.

Mr. MORGAN reported verbally that, as Chairman of the committee, he had a partial report prepared, and would have presented it to-day, but was unable to get the Committee together. He had investigated several matters and would soon turn his attention to other subjects. He promised the Councils some rich developments.

FENCING VACANT LOTS.

Mr. CASE presented an ordinance relative to fencing vacant lots, which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH—JOINT SESSION.

Councils met in joint session, when a communication was read from A. L. Pearson, Secretary of the Board of Health, urging the necessity of electing three members to serve in the Board, to fill vacancies caused by the resignation of David Fitzimmons and Samuel McKee, and the death of Joseph Kaye.

Nominations were then received, as follows: David Holmes, Dr. A. M. Barr, F. P. Case, Dr Hanna, J. Mc M. King, T. W. Welsh, C. A. Kehew, Wm. Woods, D. W. C. Carroll and Andrew Miller.

A ballot was ordered and resulted:

Holmes	45	King	12
Case	44	Miller	14
Welsh	32	Carroll	14
Kehew	38	Woods	7
Barr	28	Hanna	11

Messrs. Holmes and Case were declared elected, and a second ballot was ordered for choice of the remaining member.

Messrs. T. W. Welsh and C. A. Kehew were nominated, and the ballot stood thus:

Welsh	40
Kehew	25

Mr. Welsh was declared duly elected.

BOARD MEASURER ELECTED.

On motion of Mr. CRAIG, the Joint Session elected Mr. William Fawcett as Board Measurer for the Fourteenth ward, by acclamation.

The Joint Session then adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL BUSINESS RESUMED.

Mr. BOGGS presented a petition for a sewer on Third avenue, from Market to Wood street. Referred to Street Committee.

SELECT COUNCIL BUSINESS.

Common Council then proceeded to take up the business of Select Council.

The ordinance "authorizing the issue of bonds for the purpose of redeeming matured and maturing indebtedness of the city," was read.

Mr. McCANDLESS objected to a concurrence, and some discussion ensued in regard to the amount of money in the treasury.

Mr. MORGAN, as a member of the Finance Committee, urged a concurrence, as the issue of bonds was not only necessary but prompt action was desirable.

Mr. McCANDLESS offered the following:

Resolved, That the ordinance be postponed and the Controller requested to report to Councils the amount of money in the treasury.

The resolution was discussed and adopted.

ABSENTEES—A BARE QUORUM.

The question was raised as to the legality of the action just taken, as there was not a quorum present.

A call of the roll was ordered, when it appeared that but thirty-three members were present—one less than a quorum.

A motion was made to adjourn, but just then Mr. CASE, who had been temporarily absent, came in making a quorum.

Mr. McCANDLESS moved that the names of the absentees be published, which was agreed to. The following is the list:

Messrs. Ardary, Batchelor, Boggs, Bulger, Carroll, Chislett, Dain, Daub, Dunseath, Fleming, Gerner, Hare, House, Jahn, Kremer, Lanahan, Lockhart, McCleane, McKelvy, McMasters, Meanor, Morton, Nixon, Palmer, Reed, Seilerth, Scott, Vetter, Vick, Waughter, Weisenberger.

NON-CONCURRENCES.

Ordinance granting Messrs. Hussy, Wells & Co. permission to erect an iron clad building, passed by Select, was non-concurred in.

Resolution providing for an addition to Rule 30th, requiring the Clerks of Councils to state the object of all special meetings which may be called, which, in Select Council, May 21st, was referred to special Committee on Rules, Common Council non-concurred and adopted the resolution amending the rule.

Resolution for Inspector of Buildings, passed by Select, non-concurred in.

Report of Market Committee referred back to committee. to report the other sites offered with the prices asked.

THE RAILROAD BOND FUND.

Mr. McCLARREN offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Controller be requested to prepare a statement and report to Councils at their next regular meeting, as to whether there is a special fund lying in the city treasury for the payment and compromise of the city railroad bonds and interest on the same, and to furnish full particulars in regard to said fund.

Read three times and passed. No action in Select Council.

THE NEPTUNE FIRE COMPANY.

Mr. McCLARREN, the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Fire Engines and Hose be requested to report to Councils at next meeting, by what authority and for what cause the Neptune Fire Company was mustered out of service.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Fire Engines. No action in Select Council. Council then adjourned.

Report of the City Controller.

The following report of the City Controller was prepared by Mr. McGowan to be presented to Councils yesterday, but it was not reached, owing to the large amount of business. It will be presented at the next meeting:

CITY CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
PITTSBURGH, May 31, 1869. }

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

GENTLEMEN: The Finance Committee have considered the various matters referred to them by Councils, and report relative to the application of the Board of Health for additional appropriation, recommending that $1,000 be transferred from contingent fund to the Board of Health.

In the matter of the purchase of the Neptune Engine, the committee report that there is no appropriation made for that purpose, and recommend that the city decline taking it.

The resolution relative to refunding assessments made for the partial grading of Poplar alley between Washington and Elm streets is herewith returned to Councils, with the recommendation that it be referred to the Street Committee.

In the matter of a reduction of special tax in the borough of Lawrenceville from five mills to one mill, the committee recommend that the rate for special tax to pay the interest on separate indebtedness as fixed by the Commissioners and confirmed by the Court and approved by Councils remain undisturbed. The value of the borough of Lawrenceville on which the Commission made their calculations without any allowance for the last tax is $1,057,000, in round numbers. A five mill tax on this amount will produce $5,285; of this amount it will be safe to allow at least 25 per cent. for reductions and lost tax; that will leave $3,961 to pay interest on separate indebtedness, which will take about $3,000, leaving a small amount in the sinking fund.

The report was accompanied by bills amounting to $2,633 88, of which $170 55, was for vehicle license plates, and $2,424 80 to Errett, Anderson & Co., for printing.

The report stated that if the bills were found to be correct they would be properly chargeable to the contingent fund.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

District Court—Judge Hampton.

Court met at ten o'clock yesterday, and took up the case of Frederick Baeder vs. Morrison, Koegler & Co. This was an action to recover for work and labor done. The jury found for plaintiff in the sum of $161 50, subject to the opinion of the Court on the questions of law reserved.

Judge Kirkpatrick will occupy the bench to-day and resume his list.

United States Courts.

The United States District and Circuit Courts met at ten o'clock yesterday morning. The Circuit jurors were finally discharged, and the jurors summoned for the District Court were excused from further attendance until Monday next, June 7th. At that time the cases in which the Government is a party will be taken up and disposed of, but all the other cases will be continued.

Common Pleas.

Judges Sterrett and Stowe were engaged hearing cases on the argument list yesterday, and a number were disposed of.

The State Normal School—Meeting of the Committee.

The committee appointed by resolution of the late triennial convention of school directors, to consider the question of procuring a site and raising funds for the erection of a State Normal School for the district composed of the counties of Allegheny, Butler and Beaver, met yesterday, at Curry's Institute, on Sixth street, and organized by appointing F. C. Negley chairman, and A. T. Douthett secretary.

On motion, Mr. Negley was instructed to notify the Superintendents of Beaver and Butler counties of the organization, and ask the appointment of a committee of conference to meet with a similar committee from this county.

The committee then adjourned to meet on Monday, June 14, at one o'clock P. M., at the same place.

Public Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—Maffett & Bartholomew and their Boston Pantomime Company commenced a brief season at the Opera House last evening, and had a large and enthusiastic audience. As pantomimists, the gentlemen named are equal to the Ravels, and they are assisted by a fine company of performers. The ballet is attractive, and the dances executed of a pleasing character. The performances of the Levanti Brothers, Mons. Coutelier and Mlle. Rosetta on the trapeze are sufficiently dangerous to be exciting, and of course elicit thunders of applause. An excellent bill to-night.

PITTSBURGH THEATER.—Several new performers made their appearance here last evening, among whom were Miss Maskell, a very clever burlesque actress; Mr. Love, Miss Maggie Willett and John Denier. The new company is a strong one, and with the old established favorites, give a splendid entertainment.

THE MUSEUM.—Major Burnell announces that this is the last week of the season of the Museum, as it will be closed on Saturday evening next for the purpose of renovating and refitting for the summer. The Major expects to be able to reopen the Museum on the 26th of June, with a large number of new and attractive curiosities, which he is confident will interest, amuse and instruct his patrons.

SENT TO THE CITY FARM.—Mary Gammon, an insane woman arrested on Sunday morning, was taken to the Poor Farm yesterday.

Art Gallery.

The spacious warerooms of Daniel Hugus & Co., 187 Liberty street, offers a treat to all lovers of the fine arts. Although the enterprise is of recent date it has already become widely known, and the activity that pervades all its departments shows no lack of appreciation by our citizens. An ornamental and useful Mantel is no longer a luxury too expensive for common rooms or limited to the purses of the wealthy. It has been fully demonstrated that the new process of marbleizing slate renders this the very best material for Mantels that can be used.

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Homewood Property at Auction.

The desirable residence of Frank Van Gorder, Esq., with fourteen acres of ground, beautifully situated at Homewood Station, on the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, will be sold on the premises next Thursday afternoon. The house is a neat, well built two story brick, double dwelling, in perfect condition, and the ground is under excellent cultivation, with a young orchard or fine fruit in bearing; also, small fruits and choice ornamental shrubbery.

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Good House and Lot on Beach Street, Allegheny, at Auction.

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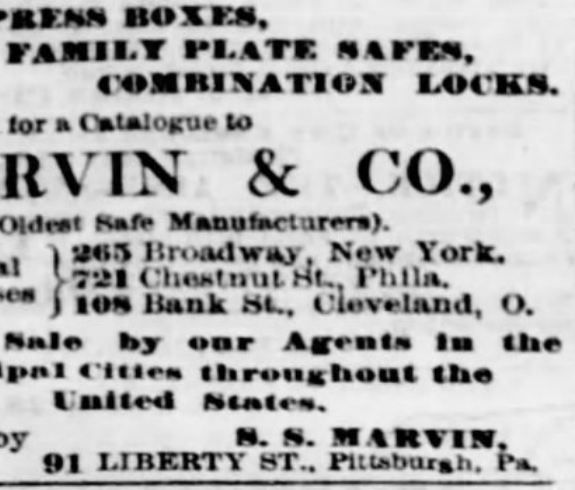

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For further particulars inquire of
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